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2 Statement of GATHER compliance

This study was developed in accordance with the Guidelines for Accurate and Transparent Health Estimates Reporting (GATHER) guidelines.¹ Websites cited in this appendix were last accessed January 9, 2022, unless otherwise stated.

3 HBsAg estimation

3.1 Flowchart

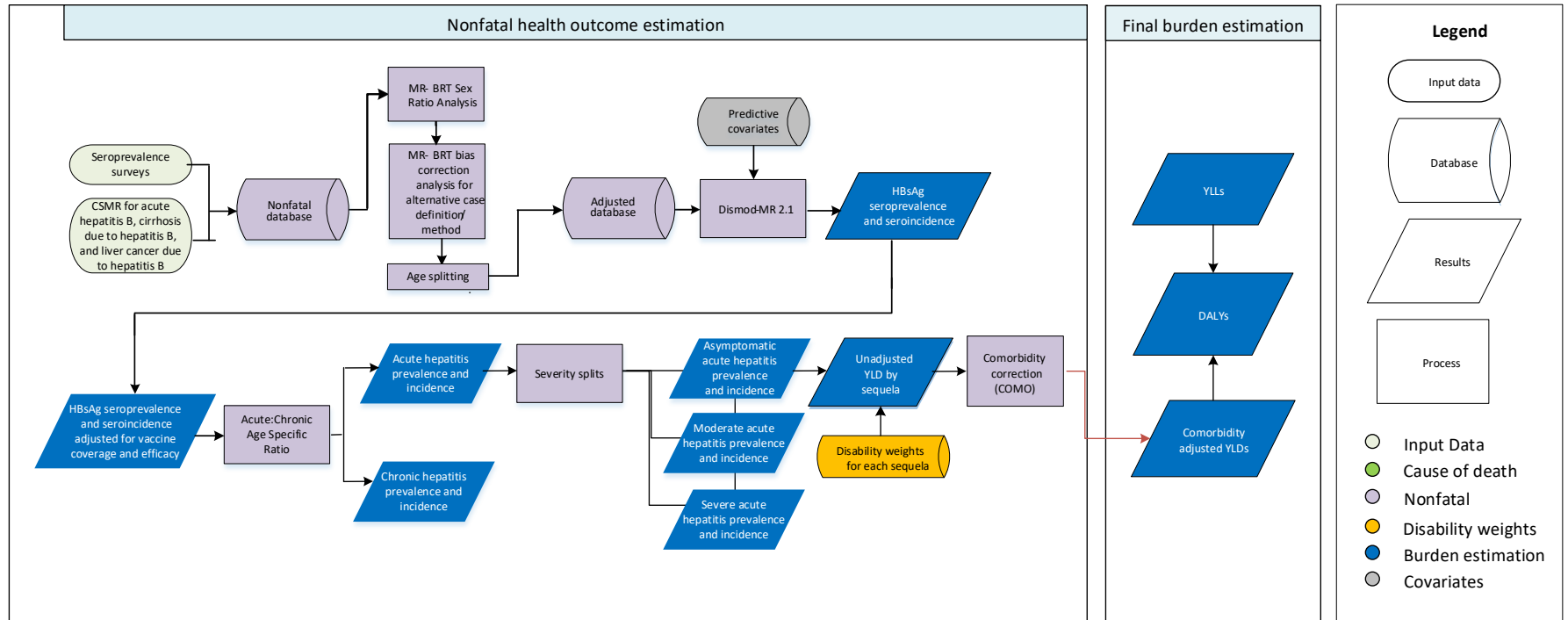


Figure 1: Flowchart GBD HBsAg and acute hepatitis B incidence, prevalence, and YLD estimation

3.2 HBsAg data

Systematic literature reviews were completed in GBD 2013² using the search string below.

PubMed search terms: ((HBsAg[Title/Abstract] AND seroprevalence[Title/Abstract]) AND (“2009”[Date – Publication]: “2013”[Date – Publication]))

Sources were included if they measured HBsAg prevalence; studies of hepatitis B core antigens or surface antibodies in the absence of surface antigens were not included. Studies were included if they sampled from the general population, or a subpopulations (blood donors and pregnant women) for which data could be adjusted for bias. Subpopulations that were excluded included sex workers and populations defined by the presence of another disease (for example, studies of HBsAg seroprevalence conducted exclusively in HIV-positive samples).

In lieu of updating the GBD 2013 systematic review, and in response to a hepatitis elimination global data collaborative meeting organized by the WHO – Global Hepatitis Programme and held in Seattle, United States, in May 2019, we worked to align GBD HBsAg data sources with those reported in the later systematic review by Schweitzer et al³. GBD researchers reviewed sources from Schweitzer et al according to the inclusion and exclusion criteria of our previous internal systematic review from GBD 2013. Given the length of the citation list, we prioritised data from certain time-periods and geographies, like data-sparse regions of sub-Saharan Africa, Australasia, Andean South America, Eastern Europe, and high-income North America. We identified and added 130 new sources prior to the GBD 2019 deadline for new data inclusion. Figure 2 shows the number of sources from Schweitzer et al. that were included and excluded for GBD 2019 HBsAg modelling as new data sources. We will continue review and harmonization of data sources for future rounds of GBD.

Data sources listed in Supplemental Table 1 can be viewed as extracted (“Unadjusted”) and as adjusted per section 3.5 (“Adjusted”), with excluded sources marked in red, on the [GBD Epi Visualization for the HBsAg Seroprevalence – counterfactual model](#)

Figure 2: Flowsheet of sources cited by Schweitzer et al used in GBD modelling

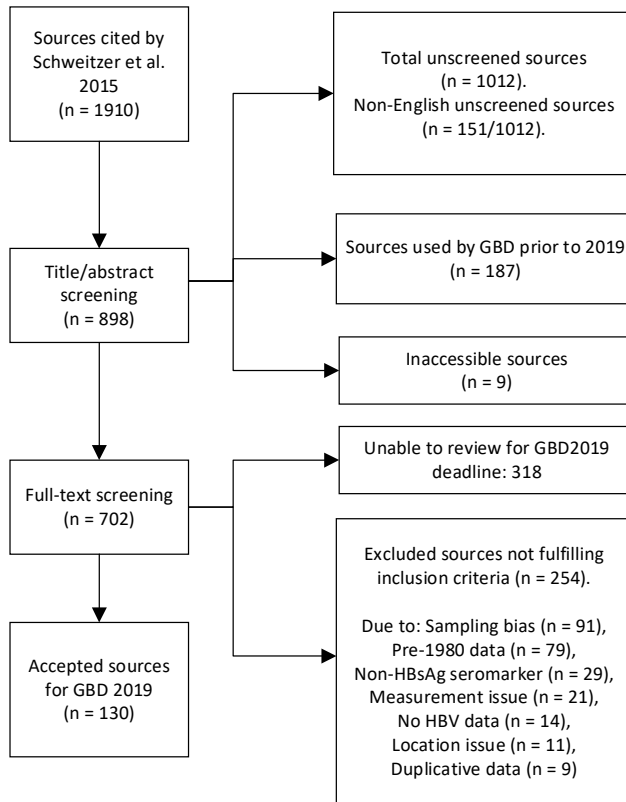
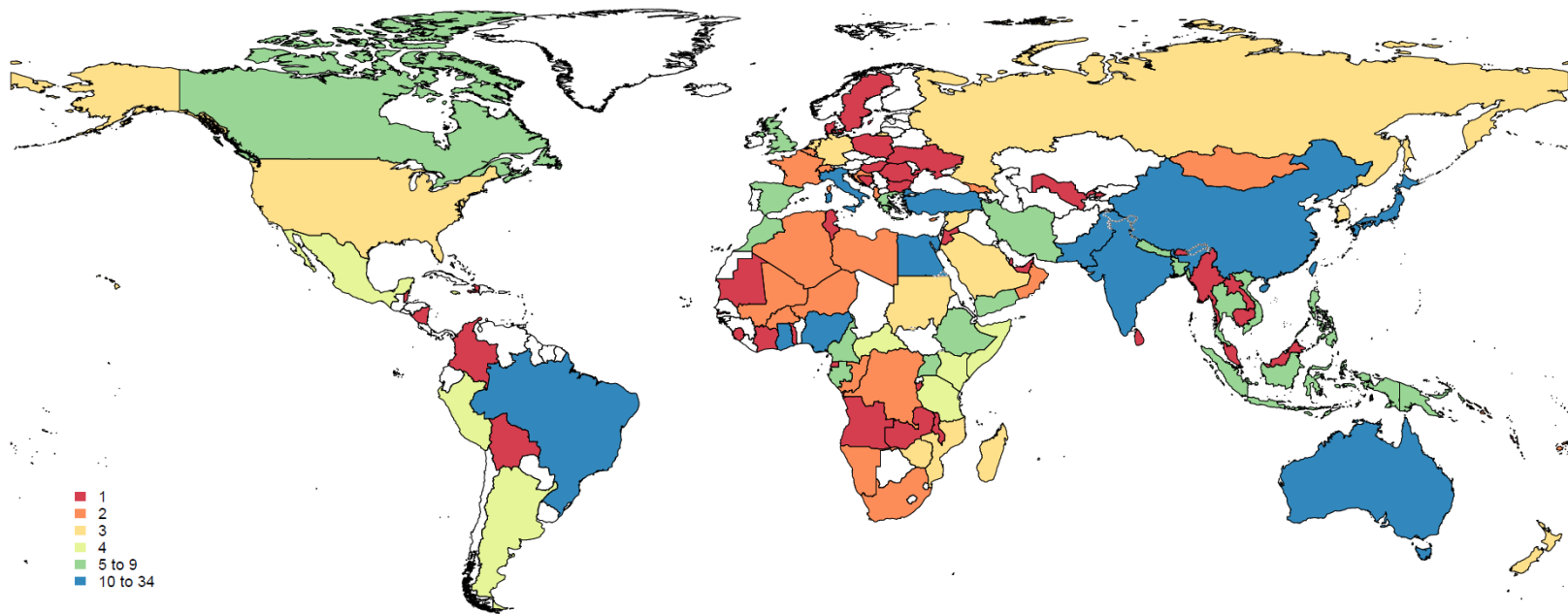


Figure 3: Data inputs for HBsAg prevalence models



3.3 Exclude seroprevalence data exposed to vaccination

In previous iterations of the GBD⁴⁻⁷, the DisMod-MR 2.1⁸ model of HBsAg seroprevalence using all available data tended to follow the data from unvaccinated populations and poorly fit prevalence data from vaccinated populations at younger ages. DisMod-MR 2.1 separately fits steady-state compartmental models for specific years (1990, 1995, 2000, 2005, 2010, 2015, 2017, 2019), which are then interpolated to provide annual results. The data used to fit each of these models are those input data in the full input data-set that fall within a time-window specified by the modeler; in previous iterations of GBD, time-windows as narrow as 2 years were tried, but the model still did not capture the rapid, age-specific changes in HBsAg seroprevalence seen in the input data over the years in which HepB3 vaccine was introduced in infants. In GBD 2019, we changed the modelling strategy to a counterfactual model to estimate what seroprevalence would be in the absence of vaccination efforts. We excluded seroprevalence data from age groups and years that would have been affected by universal infant vaccination programs. We utilized only data from age group – year combinations that would not have been affected by these programs to model a counterfactual scenario in DisMod-MR 2.1 (as described below in 3.6). Studies excluded from the data-set for modeling the counterfactual were used to compare to final prevalence estimates produced by post hoc adjustment of the counterfactual model (as described in 3.7).

Data exclusion was determined by looking at the first and last year of the study and the oldest and youngest ages of study participants to calculate the earliest and latest possible years of birth of the sample participants. The year of birth was then compared to the year of introduction of the hepatitis B 3-dose vaccine for a given location.

- If all birth years in a study were before the year of vaccine introduction, the data were included.
- If all birth years in a study were after the year of vaccine introduction, the data were excluded.
- If the year of vaccine introduction fell between the earliest and latest year of birth values, then we assumed a normal distribution of year of births. If greater than 50% of the study population years of birth fell after the year of vaccine introduction, then we excluded data related to the source. If less than 50% of the birth years fell after the year of vaccine introduction, then the data source was included.

3.4 Cause-specific mortality rate inputs

We included inputs on cause-specific mortality rate (CSMR) to estimate prevalence in DisMod given compartmental structure of the modelling tool. Utilisation of non-prevalence data helps solve differential equations from the compartmental model, contributing to internal consistency of different parameters by providing information from fatal estimation processes into non-fatal estimation processes.^{8,9} We summed the GBD-estimated CSMR of acute hepatitis B, cirrhosis due to hepatitis B, and liver cancer due to hepatitis B and used these aggregated estimates as an additional input to our counterfactual HBsAg DisMod model.

3.5 Data adjustment

Prior to fitting the counterfactual HBsAg DisMod model, we performed several data adjustments (to input data shown in Table 1a) to correct for non-“ideal” data, including “sex-splitting”, “crosswalking”, and “age-splitting”.

First, we adjusted HBsAg seroprevalence data that reported prevalence in both sexes combined to produce sex-specific model inputs. To estimate the sex-specific adjustment factors, we reviewed the data-set described in 3.2, identified those studies that reported prevalence separately by sex, and calculated the log ratio of female to male prevalence for each study. The standard error of each log ratio was calculated from the standard errors of the individual male and female measurements using the delta method. We then modelled these log ratios using meta-regression—Bayesian, regularised, trimmed (MR-BRT), a tool developed at IHME for bias adjustment and previously described.^{9,10} In brief, MR-BRT is a customized application of the open source package LimeTr, which fits Bayesian mixed effects models allowing nonlinear fixed effects, priors and constraints, while requiring random effects to enter the model in a linear way, and solves the marginal likelihood for these models using a least trimmed squares estimator. Estimated parameters include the coefficients for fixed effects (betas), their variances (lambdas), and the variance of the vector of random effects (gamma); when random effects are estimated for each study in the meta-regression, the latter serves as a measure of inter-study heterogeneity; uncertainty intervals for effects estimated for MR-BRT in our analyses include this gamma variance and thus reflect between-study heterogeneity. Priors for all effects estimated in MR-BRT models in this report were uninformative unless otherwise stated below. In the case of our log sex-ratio for HBsAg seroprevalence, we included a single intercept term with an uninformative prior, random effects for each serosurvey, and 10% trimming. Adjustment factors specific to super-regions or regions will be explored as additional matched data pairs become available in future iterations of GBD.

Table 1 shows the estimated sex ratio calculated using MR-BRT.

Table 1: MR-BRT sex ratios

Data input	Gamma	Beta coefficient, log (95% CI)	Exponentiated beta coefficient (95% CI)*
HBsAg	0.018	-0.33 (-0.36 to -0.31)	0.71 (0.70 to 0.73)

*I.e, estimated ratio of female to male seroprevalence

We then used the modelled sex ratio to adjust “both”-sex data values to expected “male” and “female” values. We calculated the male values as $val_{male} =$

$val_{both} * \frac{pop_{both}}{(pop_{male} + ratio * pop_{female})}$. We calculated female values $val_{female} = ratio * val_{male}$.

Next, we performed “crosswalks”, or bias adjustments, to adjust seroprevalence measurements made in samples of blood donors and pregnant women to be more comparable to general population data. We identified pairs of studies of the same year, age, sex, and location that were measured in reference (general) vs alternative (pregnant or blood donor) populations. We calculated the logit difference for each matched pair as $\text{logit}(\text{alternative}) - \text{logit}(\text{reference})$, calculated the standard error for each logit-transformed prevalence using the delta method, and calculated the standard error for the difference as

$\sqrt{(\text{variance of logit}(\text{alternative})) + (\text{variance of logit}(\text{reference}))}$. We used MR-BRT (as briefly described on page 10 and previously reported^{9,10}) to estimate the weighted average of the logit differences; this model was conducted as a network analysis, with a single, pooled effect for each alternative study population type, uninformative priors, 10% trimming and random effects on unique pairs of matched studies. We then adjusted the mean of the non-reference data-points using the pooled estimate for the relevant effect and recalculated the uncertainty in the non-reference data-points (again using the delta method) to incorporate the uncertainty of the adjustment.

$$\text{adjusted}_{estimate} = \text{inverse.logit}((\text{logit}(\text{alternative})) - (\text{pooled logit difference}))$$

Table 2 reports on estimated crosswalk coefficients.

Table 2: MR-BRT crosswalk factors for HBsAg seroprevalence non-representative populations

Data input	Reference or alternative case definition	Gamma	Beta coefficient, logit* (95% CI)
General population	Ref	0.72	---
Blood donors	Alt		-0.53 (-1.94 to 0.81)
Pregnant women	Alt		-0.86 (-2.44 to 0.65)

* A beta coefficient of zero in logit space can be interpreted as no meaningful difference between the reference and alternative definitions. A negative logit beta coefficient indicates that the alternative definition data are systematically lower than the reference definition data and will be adjusted up, whereas a positive value indicates the alternative data are systematically higher and will be adjusted down.

Lastly, we split data reported for groups with an age-range greater than 25 years to produce measurements for 5-year age bins. We assumed the age-distribution in the study sample was the same as the estimated population in GBD 2017.⁷ We also assumed that the ratios of age-specific prevalence to full age-prevalence were the same as in the seroprevalence model from GBD 2017.

3.6 Modelling counterfactual HBsAg seroprevalence

We estimated HBsAg seroprevalence using DisMod-MR 2.1, a Bayesian meta-regression tool developed for GBD and previously described.^{8,9} In brief, DisMod is designed as a geographical cascade where a first model is run on all the world’s data, which produces an initial global fit and

estimates coefficients for predictor variables. The global fit adjusted by the values of random effects for each of seven GBD super-regions are passed down as Bayesian priors to models for each super-region, which are fit using the input data for that super-region only. The same steps are repeated going from 7 super-region fits to 21 region fits and then to 204 fits for individual countries and territories. Where applicable, country-level fits are used to generate priors for a round of models for subnational units. Below the global fit, all models are fit separately by sex and for eight years: 1990, 1995, 2000, 2005, 2010, 2015, 2017, and 2019. DisMod allows for the above-described cascade to be applied to a model of a single parameter (as for the models described in sections 4.10 and 7.4, below), but where data for multiple interrelated parameters are available, as is the case for HBsAg, the cascade is applied to multiple regressions in a compartmental model. Thus, for each model in the cascade, the system of differential equations connecting prevalence, incidence, remission, and mortality is solved using inputs for multiple epidemiologic quantities, assuming a steady state and producing estimates for all measures that are internally consistent. Solutions are obtained using a Markov chain Monte Carlo approach with a default of 5000 iterations, and the last 500 iterations are broken into four groups of 125 iterations, and summary statistics for these four groups are compared to assess convergence of the model for all quantities of interest.^{8,9}

In the counterfactual HBsAg seroprevalence DisMod model, we used the processed inputs described in sections 3.2-3.5 to generate estimates for all year-age-sex-location combinations in the GBD framework. In addition to HBsAg seroprevalence and CSMR inputs, we included predictive covariates in the model to improve estimation in quantities of interest where HBsAg seroprevalence data are absent or scarce. We included remission priors between 0 and 0.02, excess mortality priors between 0 and 0.1, and incidence priors between 0 and 0.05 for all ages. The summary of covariates used in the counterfactual HBsAg seroprevalence DisMod-MR 2.1 model are listed in Table 3.

Table 3: Covariates used in DisMod-MR 2.1 model of counterfactual HBsAg seroprevalence

Covariate	Parameter	Exponentiated beta (95% UI)
Log-transformed age-standardised SEV scalar: Hep B	Prevalence	1.13 (1.00–1.43)
Socio-demographic Index (SDI)	Prevalence	0.14 (0.14–0.14)
Healthcare Access and Quality Index (HAQi)	Excess mortality rate	1.00 (1.00–1.00)

The data inputs and modeling approaches used to estimate summary exposure values (SEVs),¹¹ Socio-demographic Index (SDI)¹² and Healthcare Access and Quality Index (HAQi)^{9,13} for GBD have been previously described. These processes result in estimates of these covariates for every year-age-sex-location combination in the GBD framework, and they are updated with each round of GBD.

3.7 Post-hoc adjustment

As described in section 3.3, above, previous attempts to fit all available HBsAg seroprevalence data in a steady-state DisMod multi-regression model poorly captured age-specific rapid temporal changes, which motivated fitting the counterfactual model of HBsAg seroprevalence in the absence of vaccination, as described in sections 3.4-3.6. After the completion of the counterfactual DisMod model described in section 3.6, a post-hoc adjustment was performed to modify the counterfactual (no vaccination) estimates of HBsAg seroprevalence toward the HBsAg seroprevalence expected based on HepB3 coverage and efficacy.

First, we multiplied counterfactual HBsAg seroprevalence estimates by vaccine coverage and efficacy to estimate the proportion of counterfactual cases averted due to vaccination efforts. We employed the GBD-produced location-year-specific hepatitis B three-dose primary vaccine series coverage (HepB3)¹⁴. A vaccine efficacy of 95% was assumed based on expert input from members of the GBD Collaborator Network and the participants in the May 2019 hepatitis elimination global data collaborative meeting (per above); this is within the range of previous reports of effectiveness in preventing chronic infection¹⁵⁻¹⁸. Then, the number of cases averted were subtracted from the number of counterfactual HBsAg seroprevalent cases to get the final estimates of HBsAg seroprevalent cases. The number of cases was divided by population to produce HBsAg seroprevalence estimates.

$$\text{final HBsAg}_{yasl} = \text{counterfactual HBsAg}_{yasl} - (\text{counterfactual HBsAg}_{yasl} * \text{proportion of HepB3 vaccine coverage}_{yasl} * 0.95) ;$$

where $yasl$ is the year-age-sex-location-specific value.

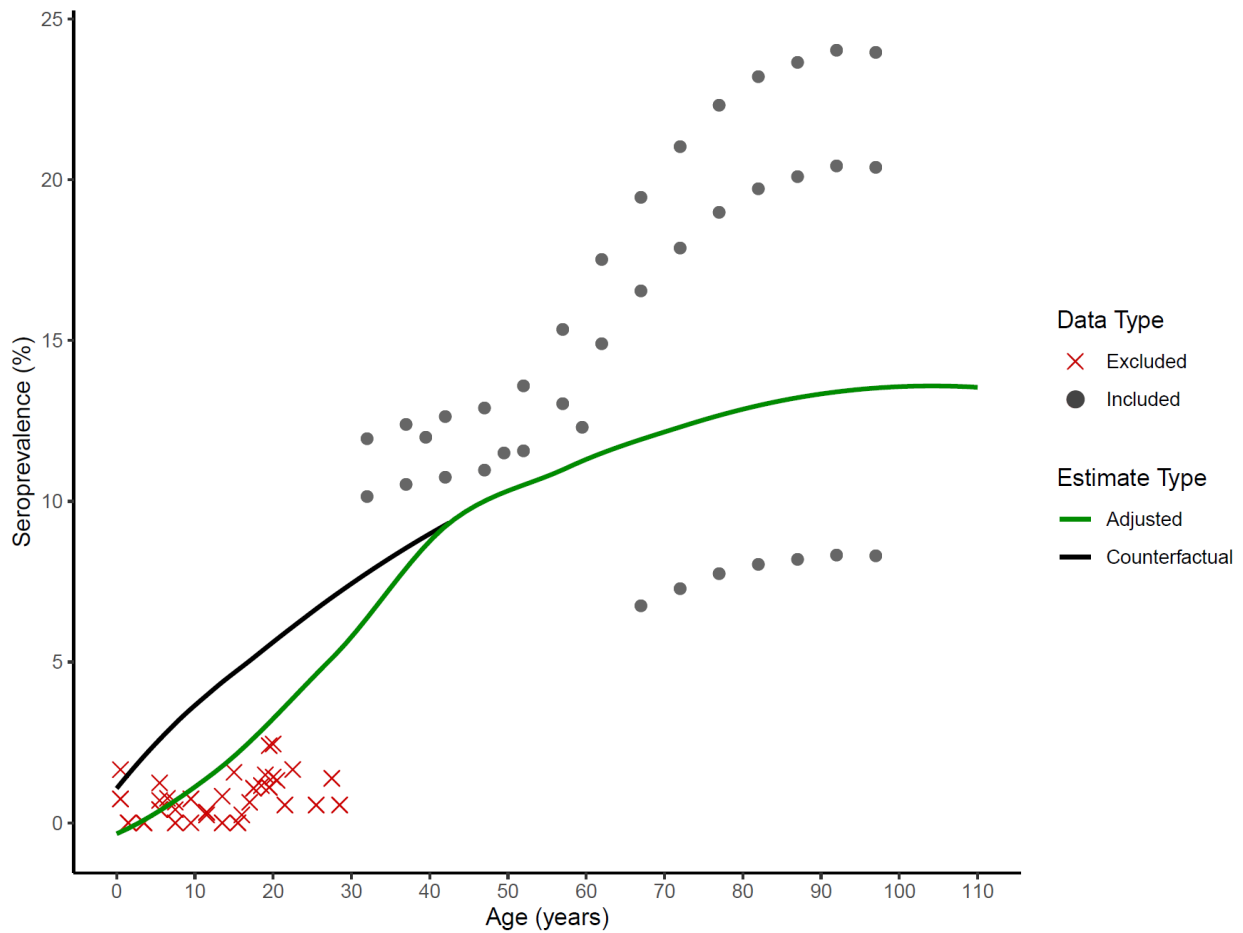


Figure 4: Counterfactual (black line) and HepB3 vaccine-adjusted (green line) HBsAg estimates in comparison to included (grey dots) and excluded (red crosses) datapoints

The final estimates produced by this post-hoc adjustment can be viewed in the [IHME Viz Hub as the Seroprevalence of HBsAg – adjusted for hepatitis B 3 dose vaccine coverage](#) model.

3.8 Disability weights

GBD does not assign disability to chronic HBV infection in the absence of cirrhosis or liver cancer.^{19,20}

4 Cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases non-fatal estimation

Cirrhosis is a chronic liver disease in which there is progressive destruction of functional hepatic cells and replacement with fibrosis (scarring) of the liver. It is often caused by alcohol use, chronic infection with hepatitis B or C, or non-alcoholic steatohepatitis, but there is also a residual category of multiple other causes. Early disease is typically asymptomatic as the liver's resilience compensates for cirrhotic damage. Decompensated cirrhosis occurs when the disease progresses beyond the capacity of the liver to compensate for the damage, and is marked by profound symptoms and health loss and typically progresses to death in a few years.

4.1 Flowchart

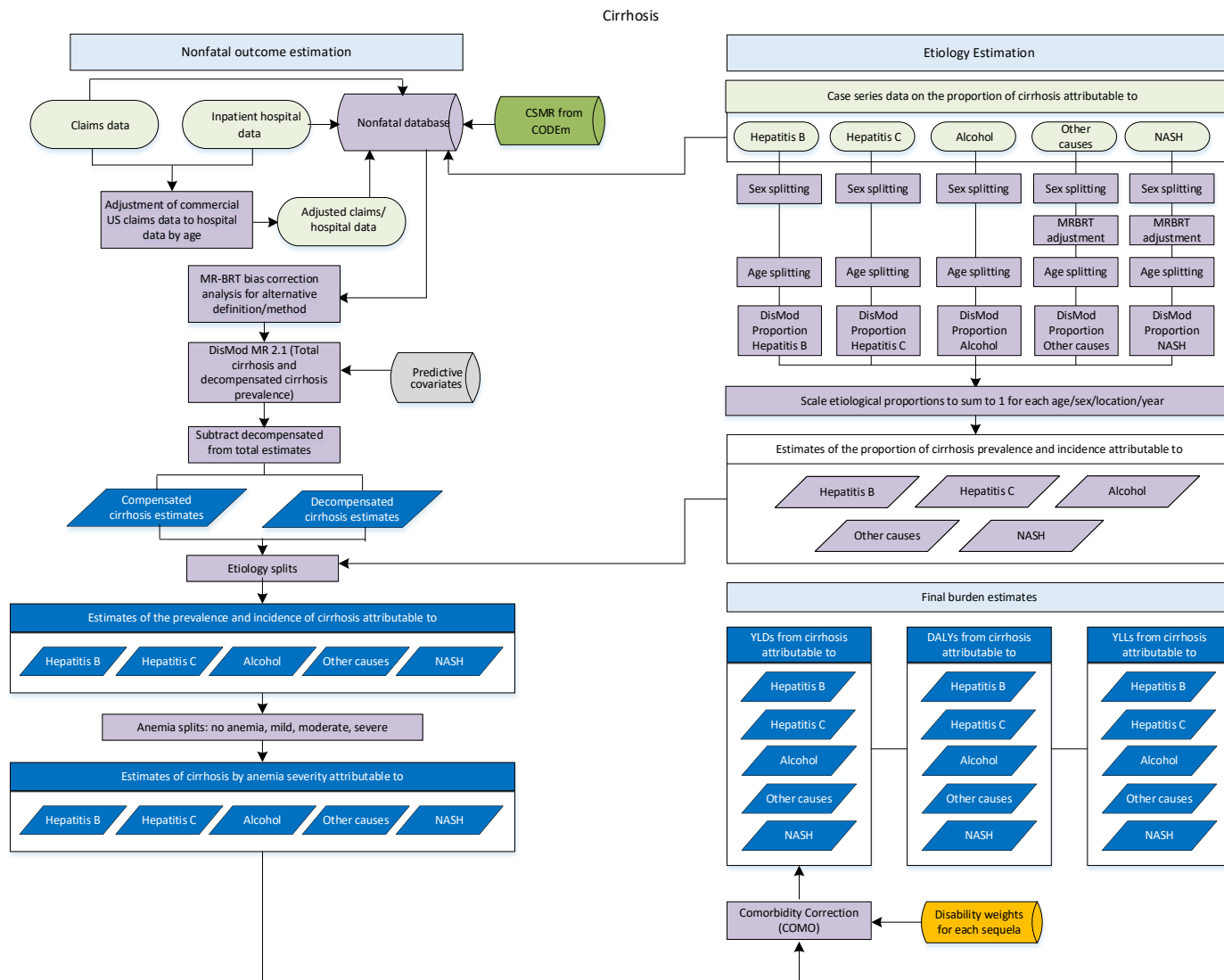


Figure 5: Flowchart of GBD cirrhosis incidence, prevalence, YLD estimation

4.2 Aetologic proportion data

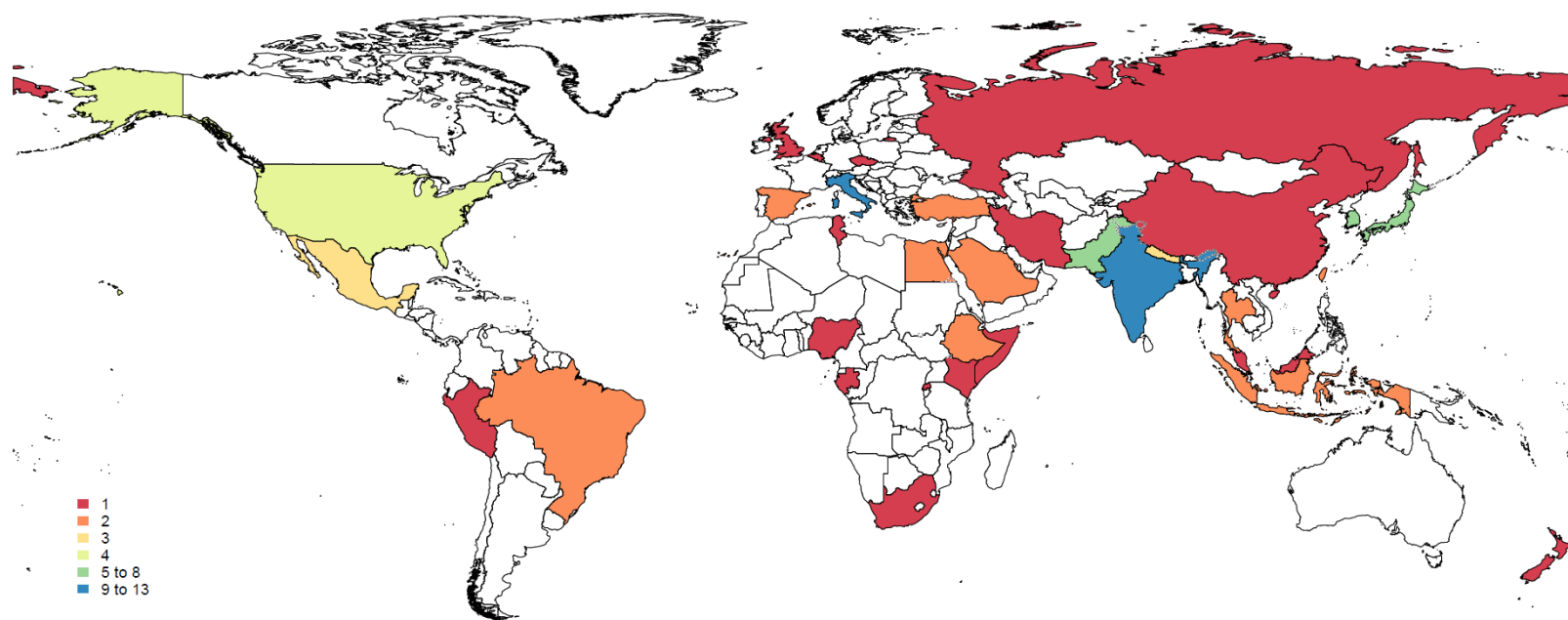
In GBD 2016,⁶ we performed a systematic review of published cirrhosis case-series that report the proportion of cases due to specific aetiologies: hepatitis B, hepatitis C, alcohol, NAFLD, and other causes. Examples of aetiologies included in “other causes” include cryptogenic, haemochromatosis, and primary biliary cholangitis.

Search terms: ("liver cirrhosis?[All Fields]) AND ((?hepatitis B?[All Fields] OR "Hepatitis B"[Mesh] OR "Hepatitis B virus"[Mesh] OR "Hepatitis B Antibodies"[Mesh] OR "Hepatitis B Antigens"[Mesh]) OR (?hepatitis C?[All Fields] OR "Hepatitis C"[Mesh] OR ?hepatitis C antibodies?[MESH] OR "Hepatitis C Antigens"[Mesh] OR ?Hepacivirus"[Mesh]) OR ("alcohol"[All Fields] OR "Alcohol Drinking"[Mesh] OR "Alcohol-Related Disorders"[Mesh] OR "Alcoholism"[Mesh] OR "Alcohol-Induced Disorders"[Mesh])) AND NOT (animals[MeSH] NOT humans[MeSH])

To be included, a study had to report the aetiology of cirrhosis for a representative sample of those with compensated or decompensated cirrhosis. Sufficient information on study method and sample characteristics was required to assess the quality of the study. Cases due to hepatitis B were confirmed based on presence of HBsAg.

Although methods of processing and modeling these proportion data were updated in GBD 2019, no new data were added. We plan to update the systematic review in future rounds of the GBD to expand our dataset.

Figure 6: Data inputs for the cirrhosis due to hepatitis B aetologic proportion model



4.3 Clinical administrative data

We modelled total cirrhosis and decompensated cirrhosis prevalence based on hospital discharge data and claims data. Details of the extraction, utilization envelope and correction factor models used to process hospital discharge and claims data for GBD are found in the “Claims, inpatient hospital and outpatient data” section of the appendix to the GBD 2019 Diseases & Injuries report.⁹

In brief, and with regard to this report, individuals in claims databases were identified as prevalent cases of total cirrhosis if they had at least one inpatient encounter or two outpatient encounters with a relevant ICD code (as primary or other diagnosis) in a 12-month period. Individuals in claims databases were identified as prevalent cases of decompensated cirrhosis if they had at least one inpatient encounter with a relevant ICD code as primary diagnosis in a 12-month period. The population sample from which those cases arose was considered to comprise all individuals enrolled in that insurance plan that year.

Claims data, which link claims for multiple encounters to individuals, were also used to derive correction factors to estimate population prevalence from sources that only provide data on inpatient discharges. For each combination of year, age, sex, and location in claims data, we calculated a correction factor between inpatient discharges and prevalence for both total cirrhosis and decompensated cirrhosis. For total cirrhosis, we calculated the ratio of inpatient discharges with a cirrhosis code as primary diagnosis to all prevalent cirrhosis cases by inpatient or outpatient criteria. The logs of these ratios were calculated and entered into a non-linear mixed-effects model in MR-BRT^{9,10} with covariates for age-groups and sex and 20% trimming. For decompensated cirrhosis, we calculated the ratio of inpatient discharges with a cirrhosis code as primary diagnosis to all prevalent cirrhosis cases by inpatient criteria, only. The log of these ratios was also calculated and modeled in MR-BRT with covariates for age and sex and 20% trimming.

Our hospital data sources provide information on inpatient discharges, rather than individuals. Inpatient discharges with ICDs for cirrhosis as primary diagnosis were identified from inpatient discharge data. For each source, we calculated the fraction of all hospital admissions primarily due to cirrhosis for a given year, age-group, sex, and this fraction was multiplied by that group's annual hospital utilization, estimated as previously described.⁹ These annual rates of primary cirrhosis admission were then multiplied by the correction factors from claims data described above and a scalar based on HAQi to estimate year-age-sex-specific population prevalence for each source.

Table 4 reports ICD codes included in cirrhosis non-fatal estimation.

Table 4: List of International Classification of Diseases (ICD) codes mapped to the Global Burden of Disease cause list for cirrhosis prevalence data

ICD system	ICG name	ICD codes
10	Digest, liver, varices	I85, I85.0, I85.00, I85.01, I85.1, I85.10, I85.11, I85.9, I98.2
	Liver, chronic, etoh, non-cirrhosis	K70, K70.0, K70.1, K70.10
	Liver, chronic, etoh, cirrhosis	K70.11, K70.2, K70.3, K70.30, K70.31, K70.4, K70.40, K70.41, K70.9
	Liver, toxic liver disease	K71, K71.3, K71.4, K71.5, K71.50, K71.51, K71.6, K71.8
	Liver, chronic, non-etoh, non-cirrhosis	K71.7, K71.9, K73, K73.0, K73.1, K73.2, K73.8, K73.9, K74.0, K74.1, K74.2
	Liver, failure	K72, K72.1, K72.10, K72.11, K72.9, K72.90, K72.91
	Liver, chronic, non-etoh, cirrhosis	K74, K74.3, K74.4, K74.5, K74.6, K74.60, K74.69, K74.7, K74.8, K74.9, K75.8, K75.81, K75.89, R18, R18.0, R18.8, R18.9
	Liver, other	K75, K75.2, K75.4, K75.9, K76, K76.1, K76.2, K76.4, K76.5, K76.6, K76.7, K76.8, K76.81, K76.89, K76.9, K77, K77.0, K77.8
9	Digest, liver, varices	456.0, 456.1, 456.2, 456.20, 456.21
	Liver, failure	570, 570.0, 570.9
	Liver, chronic, etoh, unspecified	571
	Liver, chronic, non-etoh, non-cirrhosis	571.4, 571.40, 571.41, 571.42, 571.49, 571.8
	Liver, chronic, non-etoh, cirrhosis	571.5, 571.6, 572.2, 572.3, 572.4, 573, 573.5, 573.8, 573.9
	Liver, other	572, 572.5, 572.6, 572.8, 572.9, 573.0, 573.1, 573.2, 573.3, 573.4

Figure 7: Data inputs for total cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases

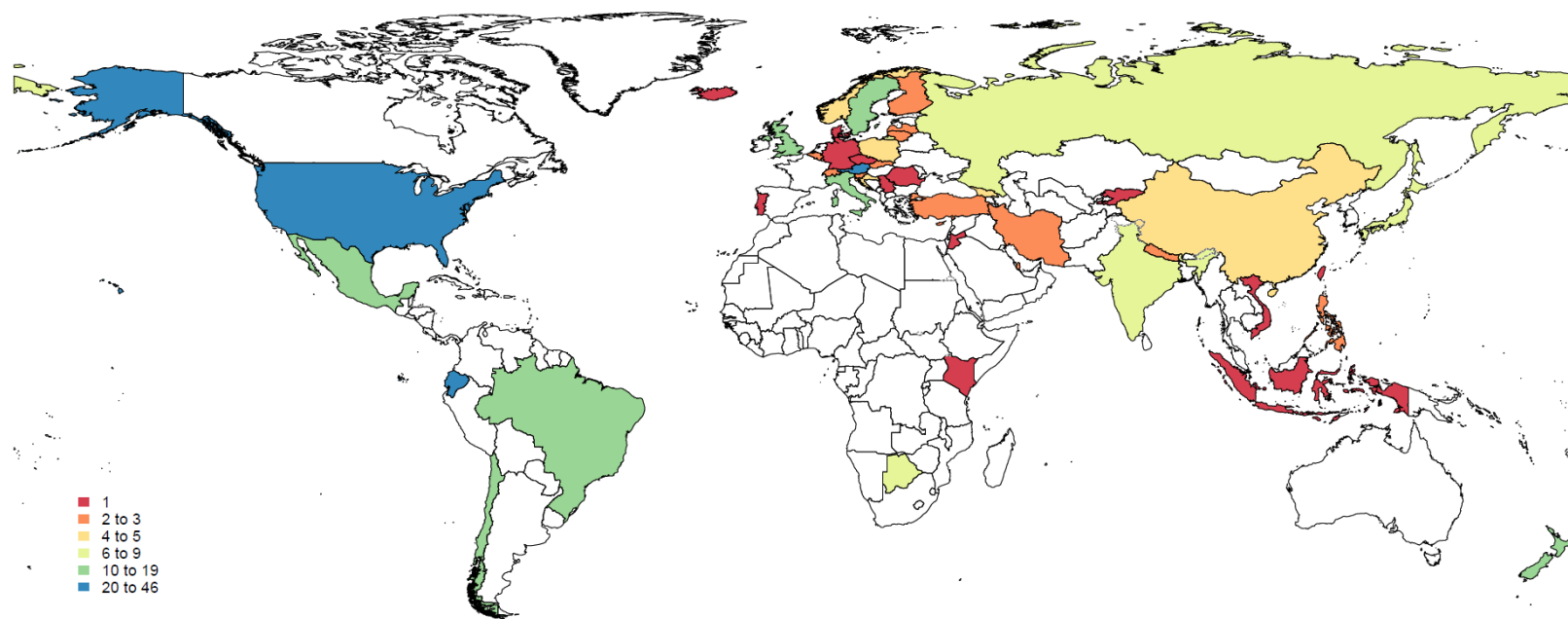
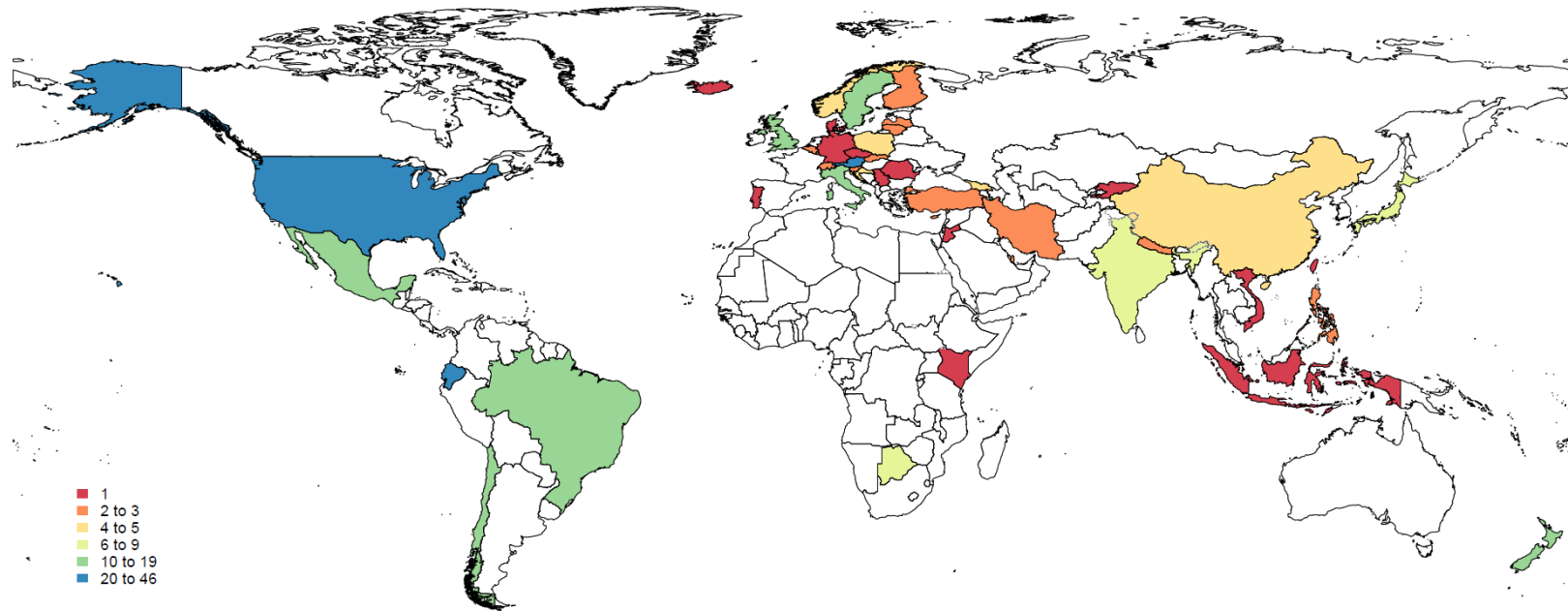


Figure 8: Data inputs for decompensated cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases



4.4 Cause-specific mortality rate inputs

We included CoDCorrected cirrhosis cause-specific mortality rate (CSMR) estimates as inputs in the total cirrhosis and decompensated cirrhosis DisMod models. We used non-prevalence data to help solve the differential equations of the compartmental framework and to promote internal consistency between fatal and non-fatal estimates of cirrhosis.^{8,21}

4.5 Excess mortality rate inputs

We modeled excess mortality rates from CoDCorrected CSMR estimates (from section 4.4) and cirrhosis prevalence data (from section 4.3) to use as additional inputs into our total and decompensated cirrhosis DisMod models.

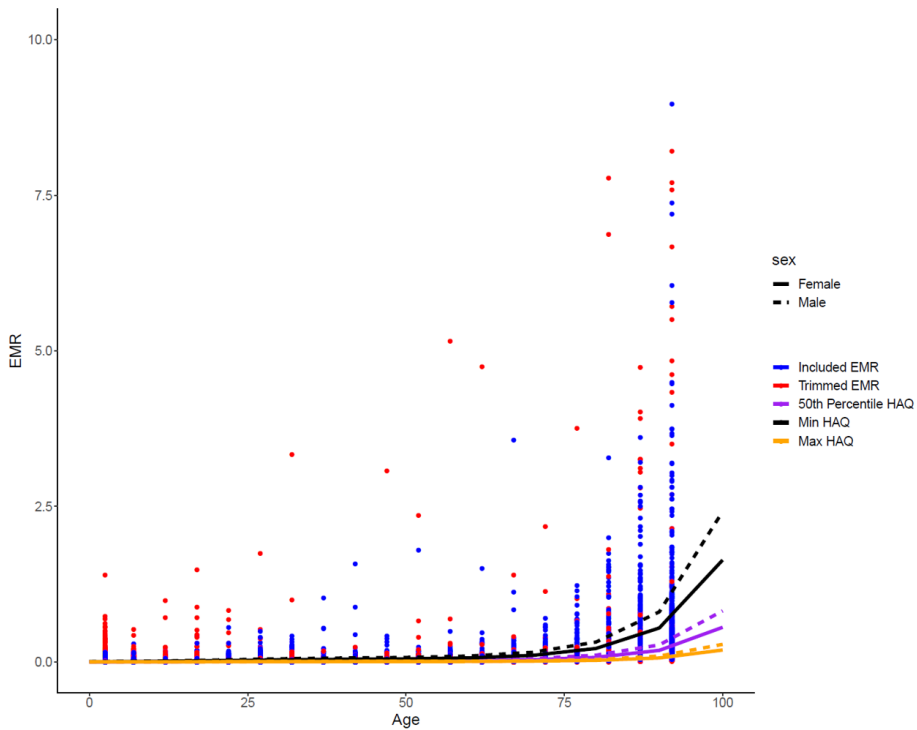
In previous rounds, across numerous GBD diseases and injuries, priors on excess mortality rate (EMR) were estimated in DisMod by matching prevalence data-points with their corresponding CSMR values within the year, same age, sex, location (by dividing CSMR by prevalence).^{6,22} For many diseases and injuries, however, including cirrhosis, DisMod estimated a rather unrealistic pattern of EMR compared to an expected pattern of decreasing EMR with greater access to quality health care. GBD leadership surmised this may signal inconsistencies between CSMR estimates and measurements of prevalence and/or incidence, and in GBD 2019 developed a new method modeling EMR inputs for use in DisMod models across multiple diseases and injuries, which is described on pages 465-6 of Appendix 1 of the GBD 2019 Diseases and Injuries Capstone.⁹

In brief, and with regard to this report, EMR inputs for the total cirrhosis DisMod model were generated by matching prevalence data-points (from 4.3) with their corresponding CSMR estimates (from 4.4) within the same year, age, sex, location (by dividing CSMR by prevalence). These were log-transformed and modeled with a nonlinear mixed effects model using the MR-BRT tool,^{9,10} with fixed effects for age, sex, and Healthcare Access and Quality Index (HAQi), random effects on unique combinations of study and location, and 10% trimming. Age was modeled using a cubic spline with linear tails, and three evenly spaced knots. The prior on HAQi was to have a negative coefficient.

$$\log(EMR) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 sex + \beta_2 HAQ + f(age) + u_{loc-study} + \epsilon_i$$

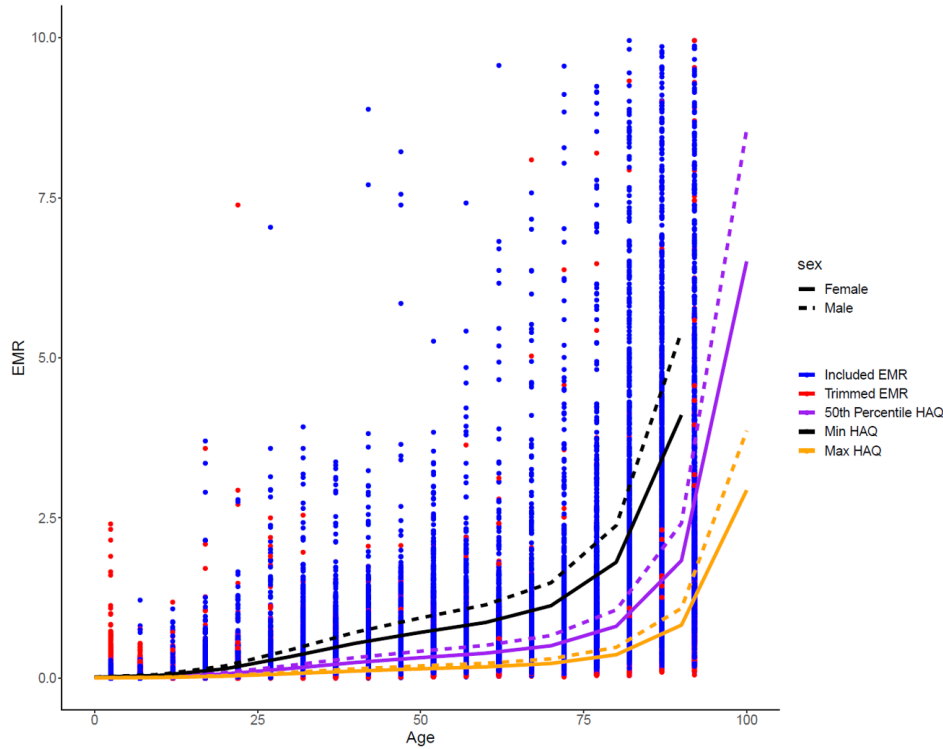
EMR was then predicted for each year, sex, location and for ages 0, 10, 20100, using the coefficients from the fitted MR-BRT model.

Figure 9. MR-BRT model results (line) overlaid on EMR calculated from prevalence data points and matched CSMR estimates (dots) for total cirrhosis EMR input estimation



The same approach was taken to produce EMR inputs for the decompensated cirrhosis DisMod model, using decompensated cirrhosis prevalence data (from 4.3) divided by their corresponding CSMR estimates (from 4.4), and entering these quotients in an MR-BRT model of $\log(\text{EMR})$, using fixed effects for age, sex, and Healthcare Access and Quality Index (HAQi), random effects on unique combinations of study and location, and 10% trimming. Age was modeled using a cubic spline with linear tails, and three evenly spaced knots. The prior on HAQi was to have a negative coefficient.

Figure 10: MR-BRT model results (line) overlaid on EMR calculated from prevalence data points and matched CSMR estimates (dots) for decompensated cirrhosis EMR input estimation



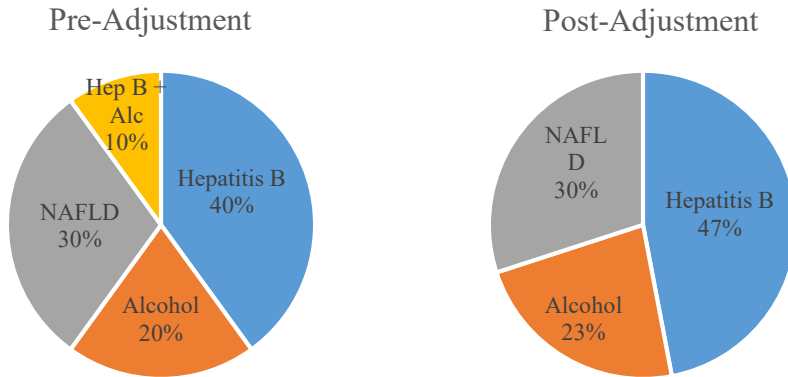
4.6 Aetiological proportion data adjustment

Prior to modelling, we performed several data adjustments to correct proportion data for non-“ideal” features, including “multi-aetiology case splitting”, “sex-splitting”, and “age-splitting”.

Some studies reported cases in which multiple risk factors for cirrhosis were identified. There were, however, insufficient multiple-aetiology data to estimate combinations of aetiologies in distinct models. Instead, we reassigned these multi-aetiology cases to single aetiologies using the proportions observed in cases with only one aetiology in the same study.

Take as an example a study that reported 100 cases of cirrhosis total, of which 40 cases were due to hepatitis B, 20 due to alcohol, 30 due to NAFLD, and ten due to hepatitis B and alcohol. We must redistribute cases due to both hepatitis B and alcohol proportionate to cases of each aetiology separately, holding the cases due to NAFLD unchanged. We would redistribute the ten cases of hepatitis B and alcohol by a ratio of 40:20, resulting in 47 cases of hepatitis B and 23 cases of alcohol. Figure 11 illustrates for this example the proportion of cirrhosis cases assigned to each aetiology before and after adjustment of multi-aetiology cases.

Figure 11: Pre- and post-adjustment of multi-aetiology cases



We used the “sex-splitting” and “age-splitting” method described in Section 3.5 to adjust both sex proportion data into male- and female-specific data-points and broad age data. The MR-BRT sex-ratio model used a single intercept term with an uninformative prior, random effects for each case-series, and 10% trimming. Table 5 below reports the estimated sex ratio. The age-pattern applied to split data from broad age-groups was the age-pattern in GBD 2017 estimates.

Table 5: MR-BRT sex ratios for proportion cirrhosis due to hepatitis B

Data input	Gamma	Beta coefficient, log (95% CI)	Exponentiated beta coefficient (95% CI)
Cirrhosis due to hepatitis B	0.155	-0.21 (-0.56 to 0.14)	0.81 (0.57 to 1.15)

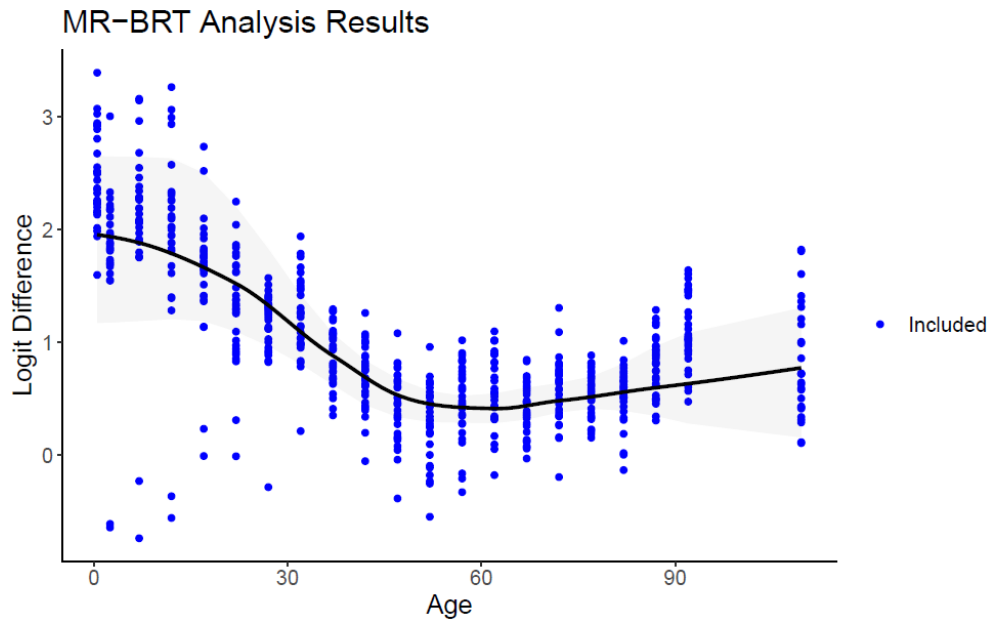
4.7 Clinical informatics data adjustment

We performed “crosswalks”, or bias adjustments, to adjust non-reference data sources toward reference data for both total cirrhosis and decompensated cirrhosis data using the “crosswalk” method, as described in Section 4.3. These adjustments affect only a subset of data for the United States. The United States MarketScan data may be biased because this data source only includes patients with commercial insurance, which may differ systematically in both underlying disease epidemiology and in case ascertainment (via healthcare utilisation) compared to a general population. On the other hand, MarketScan data are available for all U.S. states, whereas population-representative hospital data sources are only available for a subset of U.S. states. We identified pairs of MarketScan and hospital data for the same year, age, sex, and location, calculated the logit difference between the prevalence measurements from each source, and modeled the logit difference in MR-BRT with fixed effects for age, random effects on unique combinations of study, age, sex, year, and location, and 10% trimming. We conducted an

analysis in MR-BRT with a spline on age so that adjustments could be performed differentially by age. After the year 2000, there was a change in reporting in claims data. Because of this, the analysis was conducted between MarketScan data in 2000 compared to hospital data in 2000, and then all other years of MarketScan data compared to other years of hospital data.

Figure 12: MR-BRT adjustment factors for decompensated cirrhosis, (A) MarketScan 2000, (B) MarketScan other years

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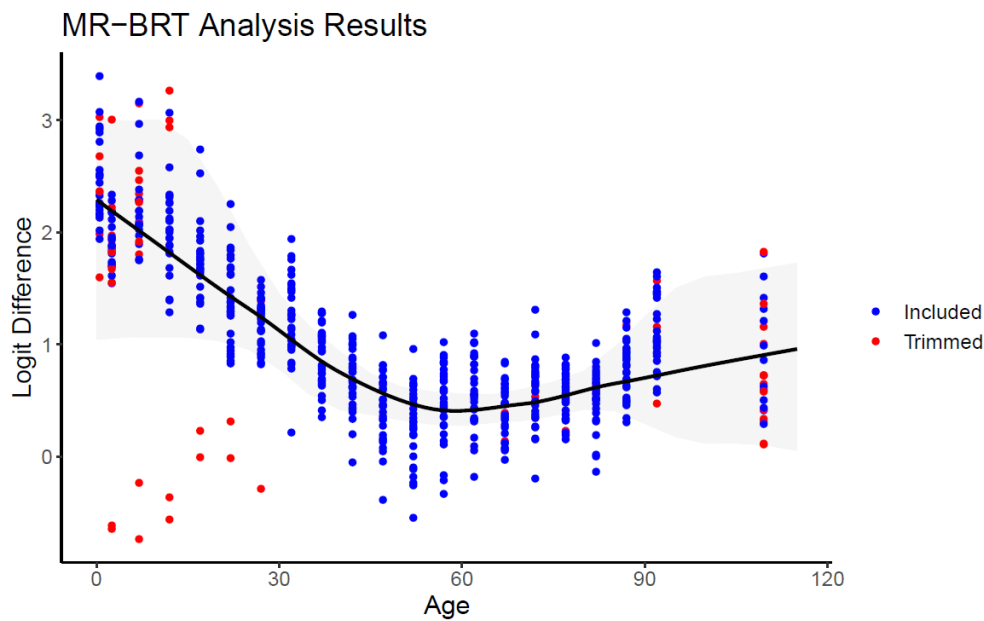
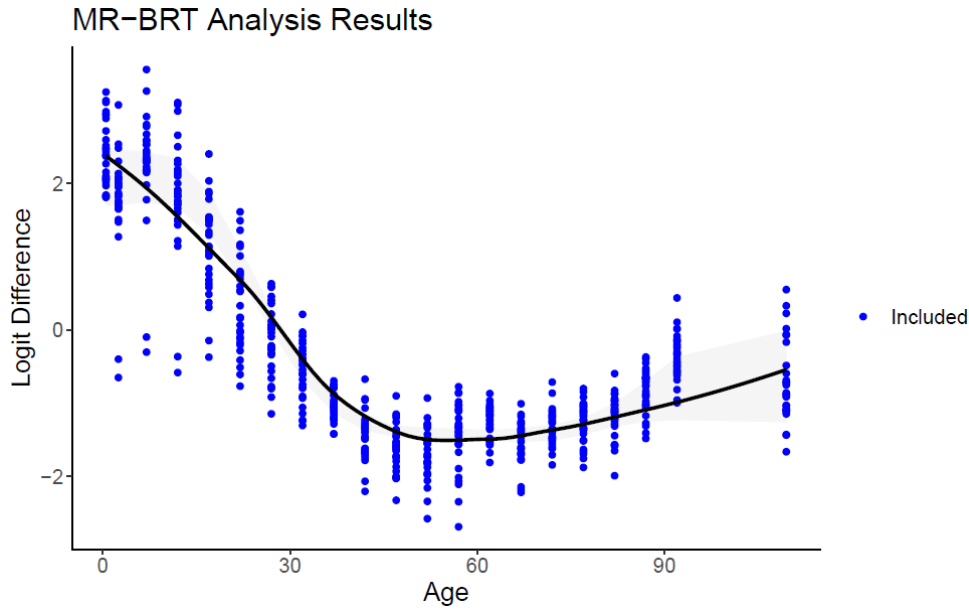
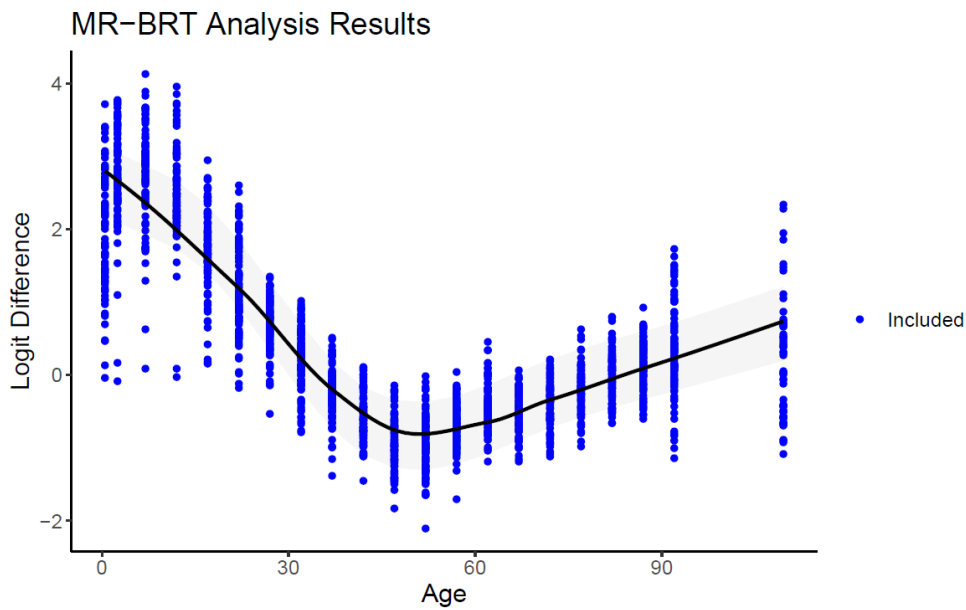


Figure 13: MR-BRT adjustment factors for total cirrhosis, (A) MarketScan 2000, (B) MarketScan other years

(A)



(B)



4.8 Modelling total cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases non-fatal

The processed total cirrhosis hospital and claims data (sections 4.3 and 4.7), CSMR (4.4), and EMR (4.5) were entered into a Bayesian multi-regression model in DisMod-MR 2.1,^{8,21} along with predictive covariates to improve estimation where these above inputs were absent or scarce. We set the prior on remission to 0 for all ages and the prior on EMR to 0 to 0.02 for ages 0 to 9 years. The minimum and maximum values for the prior for the fixed effect of HAQ_i on EMR

were based on the mean and standard deviation estimated in the MR-BRT model in section 4.5. A summary of covariates used in the total cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases DisMod-MR 2.1 model are listed in Table 6.

Table 6: Covariates used in DisMod-MR 2.1 model of total cirrhosis

Covariate	Parameter	Prior (min, max)	Exponentiated beta (95% UI)
Hepatitis B seroprevalence (HBsAg) age-standardised	Prevalence	(0, 4)	39.30 (29.25–50.60)
Hepatitis C seroprevalence (anti-HCV) age-standardised	Prevalence	(0, 4)	1.34 (1.01–2.26)
Litres of alcohol consumed per capita	Prevalence	(0, 2)	1.00 (1.00–1.00)
Prevalence of obesity	Prevalence	(0, 2)	1.05 (1.00–1.16)
Healthcare Access and Quality Index (HAQi)	Excess mortality rate	(-0.025, -0.023)	0.98 (0.98–0.98)

The data inputs and modeling approaches used to estimate hepatitis C seroprevalence,⁹ litres of alcohol consumed per capita,¹¹ prevalence of obesity,¹¹ and Healthcare Access and Quality Index (HAQi)^{9,13} for GBD have been previously described. These processes result in estimates of these covariates for every year-age-sex-location combination in the GBD framework, and they are updated with each round of GBD. The prior for the HAQi covariate on EMR was based on the mean and standard deviation for this relationship estimated in the MR-BRT model described in section 4.5.

4.9 Modelling decompensated cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases non-fatal

The processed decompensated cirrhosis hospital and claims data (sections 4.3 and 4.7), CSMR (4.4), and EMR (4.5) were entered into a Bayesian multi-regression model in DisMod-MR 2.1,^{8,21} along with predictive covariates to improve estimation where these above inputs were absent or scarce. We set the prior on remission to 0 for all ages and the prior on EMR to 0 to 0.1 for ages 0 to 9y. A summary of covariates used in the decompensated cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases DisMod-MR 2.1 model are listed in Table 7.

Table 7: Covariates used in DisMod-MR 2.1 model of decompensated cirrhosis

Covariate	Parameter	Prior (min, max)	Exponentiated beta (95% UI)
Hepatitis B seroprevalence (HBsAg) age-standardised	Prevalence	(0,4)	53.28 (51.37–54.54)
Hepatitis C seroprevalence (anti-HCV) age-standardised	Prevalence	(0,4)	13.04 (3.49–40.45)
Litres of alcohol consumed per capita	Prevalence	(0,2)	1.00 (1.00–1.00)
Prevalence of obesity	Prevalence	(0,2)	1.01 (1.00–1.02)
Healthcare Access and Quality Index	Excess mortality rate	(-0.019, -0.018)	0.98 (0.98–0.98)

The data inputs and modeling approaches used to estimate hepatitis C seroprevalence,⁹ litres of alcohol consumed per capita,¹¹ prevalence of obesity,¹¹ and Healthcare Access and Quality Index (HAQi)^{9,13} for GBD have been previously described. These processes result in estimates of these covariates for every year-age-sex-location combination in the GBD framework, and they are updated with each round of GBD. The prior for the HAQi covariate on EMR was based on the mean and standard deviation for this relationship estimated in the MR-BRT model described in section 4.5.

4.10 Modelling proportion of cirrhosis due to hepatitis B

We used the adjusted proportion of cirrhosis due to hepatitis B data (sections 4.2 and 4.6) in a single-parameter regression model in DisMod-MR 2.1. In contrast to the compartmental framework of many DisMod models,^{8,21} which incorporates data for multiple epidemiologic measures and simultaneously solves multiple regression models for a system of differential equations, a single-parameter DisMod model uses only one data type to estimate a single quantity (in this case, proportions) while still making use of DisMod’s Bayesian meta-regression and geographic cascade features.

We included predictive covariates in the model to improve estimation for areas where data were scant or absent. We also included covariates with specified negative associations for the proportions of cirrhosis in the other four estimated aetiologies. Table 8 summarises covariates used in the single-parameter proportion model.

Table 8: Covariates used in the proportion of cirrhosis due to hepatitis B DisMod-MR model

Covariate	Prior (min, max)	Exponentiated beta (95% UI)
Hepatitis B seroprevalence (HBsAg) age-standardised	(0,1)	2.37 (1.88–2.70)
Proportion of liver cancer due to hepatitis B (age-standardised)	(0,1)	1.59 (1.17–2.16)
Hepatitis B 3-dose coverage (proportion), lagged 10 years	(-1,0)	0.50 (0.45–0.55)
Proportion of cirrhosis due to alcohol	(-1,0)	0.88 (0.70–0.99)
Proportion of cirrhosis due to hepatitis C	(-1,0)	0.41 (0.37–0.50)
Proportion of cirrhosis due to other causes	(-1,0)	0.93 (0.82–1.00)
Proportion of cirrhosis due to NASH	(-1,0)	0.69 (0.45–0.98)

Separate single-parameter DisMod models were run to estimate the proportion of cirrhosis due to the four specified aetiologies other than hepatitis B and the results of the five proportion models were re-scaled at the draw level for each year, age, sex and location to produce final proportion estimates. Models for aetiologies other than hepatitis B have been previously described.²¹

4.11 Modelling compensated cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases

Estimates of the prevalence of compensated cirrhosis were produced by subtracting estimates of decompensated cirrhosis prevalence (produced as described in 4.9) from estimates of total cirrhosis prevalence (produced as described in 4.8). This subtraction was carried out at the draw level to generate 1000 draws of compensated cirrhosis prevalence, which provides an estimated mean with 95% uncertainty interval.

$$\text{compensated cirrhosis}_{yasl} = \text{total cirrhosis}_{yasl} - \text{decompensated cirrhosis}_{yasl};$$

where *yasl* is the specific year-age-sex-location.

4.12 Modelling aetiology-specific estimates

We applied the scaled proportions of the five modelled aetiologies of cirrhosis (hepatitis B, hepatitis C, alcohol use, NAFLD, and other causes; see sections 4.2, 4.6 and 4.8 for additional details) to decompensated and compensated cirrhosis estimates to create estimates of cirrhosis by aetiology.

In GBD 2019, we estimated the proportion of those with decompensated cirrhosis that had complications due to anaemia as part of the anaemia causal attribution process described on pages 1368-76 of Appendix 1 of the GBD 2019 Diseases and Injuries Capstone.⁹ We applied

scaled proportions of the modelled anaemia severities (no anaemia, mild anaemia, moderate anaemia, and severe anaemia) to decompensated cirrhosis estimates to create estimates of decompensated cirrhosis by both aetiology and anaemia severity.

4.13 Disability weights

GBD estimation of disability weights for estimation of years lived with disability (YLDs) in GBD has been previously described.^{9,20,23,24} In brief, a series of household and web-based surveys were conducted between 2009 and 2013, ultimately in nine different countries. In these, respondents were presented a series descriptions of two hypothetical people, each with a particular health state, and asked which individual was healthier. The descriptions were written in lay language and described symptoms and function loss in generic terms. Probit regression analyses of the frequencies of answers to the pair-wise comparisons were used to infer distances between disability weight values for pairs of states, and then those distances were anchored to a 0-1 scale.

For cirrhosis, compensated cases were assigned an asymptomatic health state, with disability weight of zero. Cases of decompensated cirrhosis with varying levels of anaemia were assigned disability weights as shown in Table 9.^{19,20}

Table 9. Disability weights of decompensated cirrhosis

Health state	Lay description	Disability weight (95% uncertainty interval)
Decompensated cirrhosis of the liver and no anaemia	Has a swollen belly and swollen legs. The person feels weakness, fatigue, and loss of appetite.	0.178 (0.113–0.243)
Decompensated cirrhosis of the liver and mild anaemia	Has a swollen belly and swollen legs. The person feels weakness, fatigue, and loss of appetite. Feels slightly tired and weak at times, but this does not interfere with normal daily activities.	0.181 (0.116–0.246)
Decompensated cirrhosis of the liver and moderate anaemia	Has a swollen belly and swollen legs. The person feels weakness, fatigue, and loss of appetite. Feels moderate fatigue, weakness, and shortness of breath after exercise, making daily activities more difficult.	0.220 (0.146 – 0.295)
Decompensated cirrhosis of the liver and severe anaemia	Has a swollen belly and swollen legs. The person feels weakness, fatigue, and loss of appetite.	0.300 (0.202–0.397)

	Feels very weak, tired, and short of breath, and has problems with activities that require physical effort or deep concentration.	
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5 Cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases fatal estimation

5.1 Flowchart

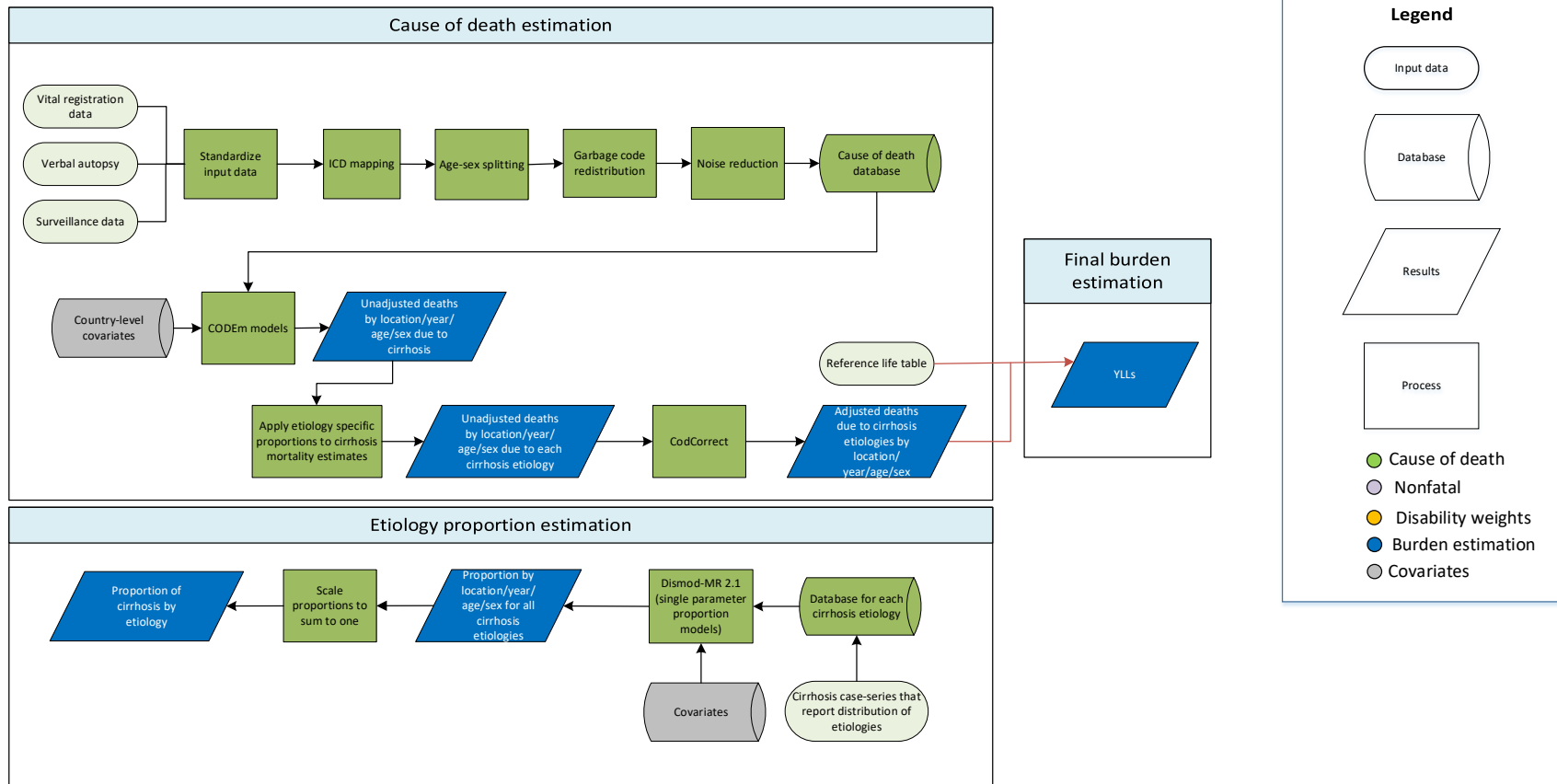


Figure 14: GBD cirrhosis mortality, YLL estimation

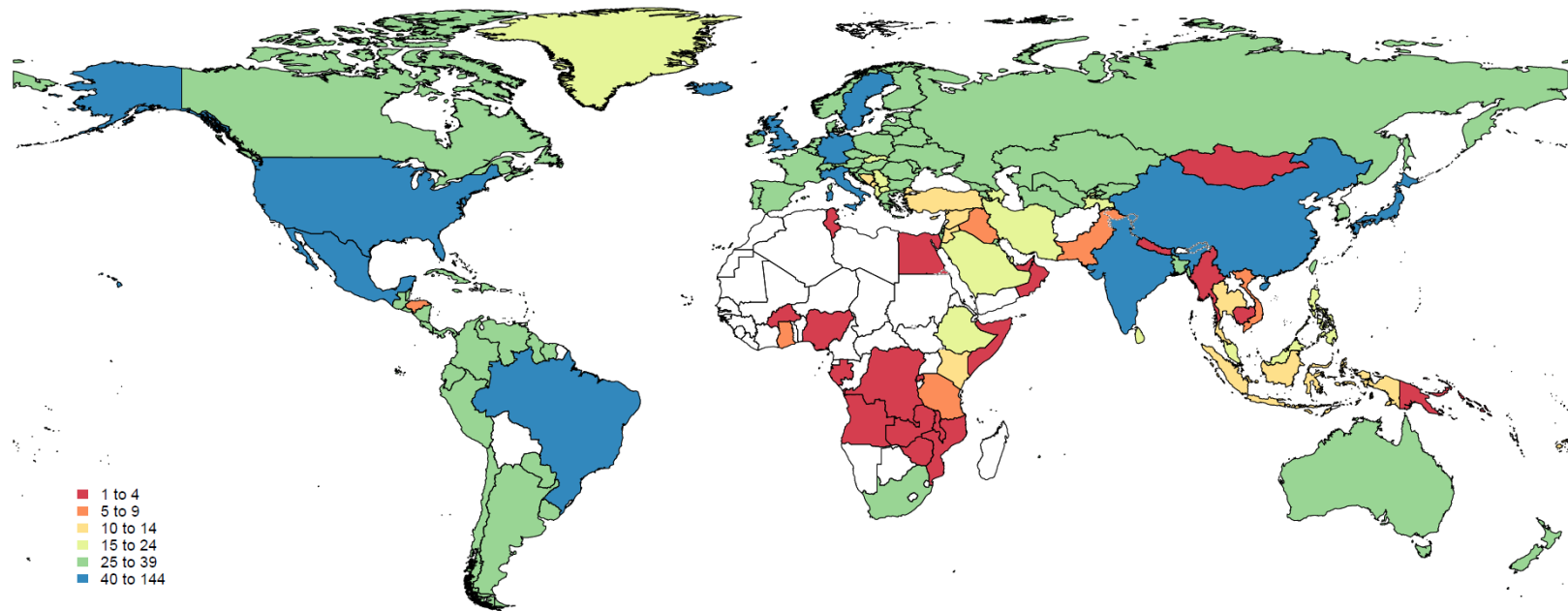
5.2 Data identification and processing

We used vital registration (VR), surveillance, and verbal autopsy (VA) data to model cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases mortality. The details of processing cause of death (COD) data for GBD, including mapping, disaggregation, age-sex splitting, corrections for misclassification, redistribution of garbage codes, and noise reduction have been previously described.^{9,25} The ICD codes that map directly to cirrhosis are included in Table 10.

Table 10: List of International Classification of Diseases (ICD) codes mapped to the Global Burden of Disease cause list for cirrhosis mortality data

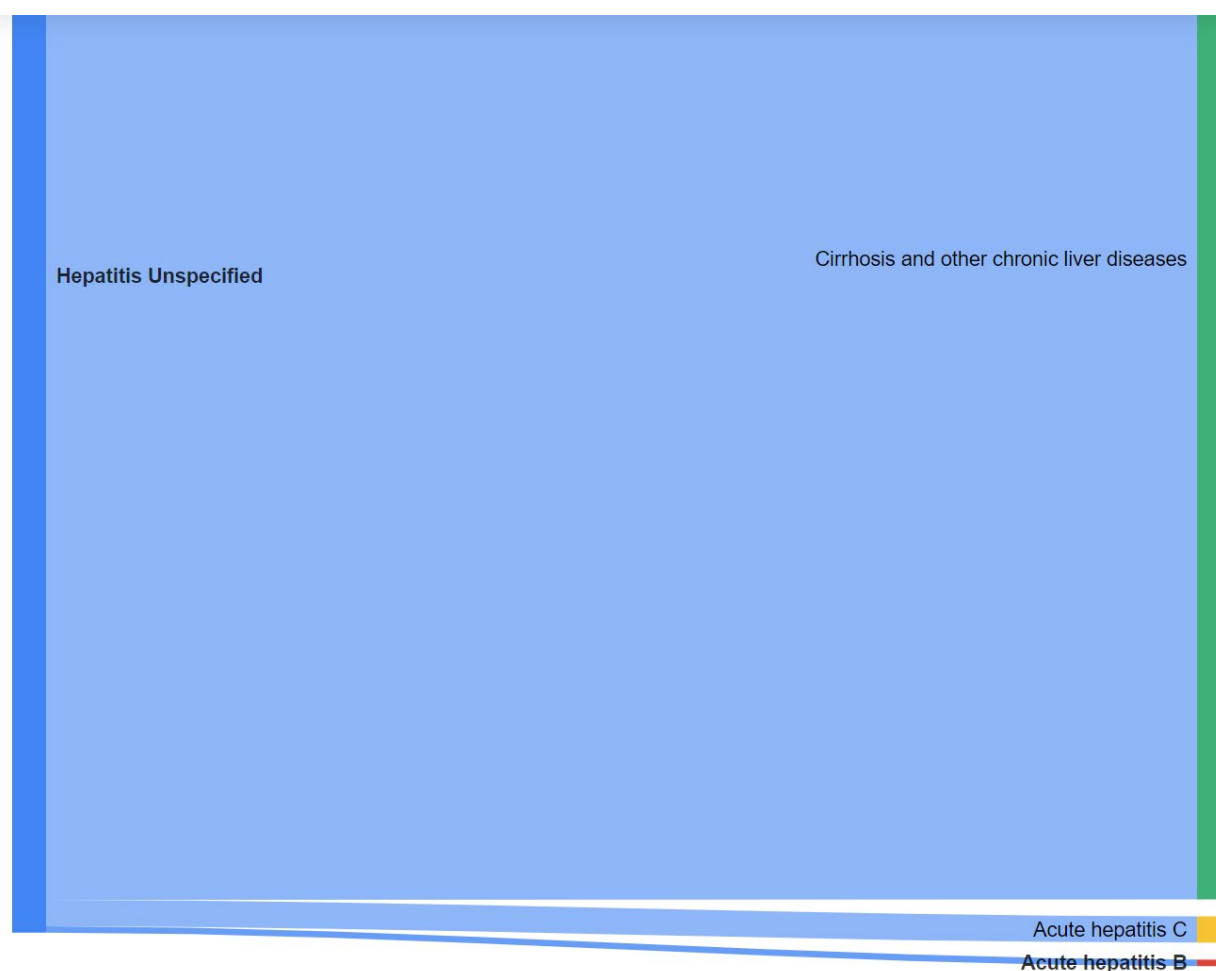
ICD System	ICD Codes
10	B18, I85, K70, K70.0, K70.1, K70.10, K70.11, K70.2, K70.3, K70.30, K70.31, K71.7, K73, K74, K75, K75.2, K75.4, K75.8, K75.81, K75.89, K75.9, K76, K76.0, K76.1, K76.2, K76.4, K76.5, K76.6, K76.7, K76.8, K76.81, K76.89, K76.9, K77.8;
9	070.22, 070.33, 070.54, 456.0, 456.1, 456.2, 456.20, 456.21, 571, 571.0, 571.2, 571.3, 571.4, 571.5, 571.6, 571.8, 571.9, 572.2, 572.3, 572.4, 572.5, 572.6, 572.8, 572.9, 573, 573.0, 573.4, 573.5, 573.8, 573.9

Figure 15: Mortality data inputs for the fatal model of cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases



An important component of mortality estimation is redistribution of vague, impossible, intermediate, or immediate causes of death to valid underlying causes of death in the GBD cause list.²¹ We account for every death from all known data sources, but some records are inaccurate or inconsistent and need to be processed prior to modelling. In GBD 2019, we reviewed vital registration data sources that record information on underlying cause of death, intermediate/immediate cause of death, and predisposing conditions, and noted that many “unspecified hepatitis” deaths included chronic liver diseases in the cause of death chain. Consequently, those deaths were proportionately redistributed to cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases and acute hepatitis, with the majority assigned to the former, as shown in Figure 16.

Figure 16: Sankey diagram illustrating ICD-10 redistribution of unspecified hepatitis codes of death onto other causes of deaths



We marked data as outliers and excluded them in instances where garbage code redistribution and noise reduction, in combination with small sample sizes, resulted in unreasonable cause fractions or unreasonable time, age, or spatial trends.

5.3 Modelling cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases mortality

We estimated cirrhosis mortality using the Cause of Death Ensemble (CODEm) model tool, a model generation and ensemble selection tool developed and periodically updated for GBD; the original CODEm tool and subsequent updates have been previously described.^{21,26} In brief, CODEm estimates the mortality rate due to a given cause, for every combination of age-group, location and year from 1980 to 2019 by generating a diverse set of plausible statistical models (“sub-models”) and evaluating differently weighted combinations of sub-models to select the ensemble model (“CODEm model”) with the highest out-of-sample predictive validity. Four families of sub-models are generated for consideration, including models of logit cause-fractions (deaths due to cause of interest out of all deaths) and models of log cause-specific mortality rates (deaths due to cause of interest as population rate), and both linear mixed effect regression (LMER) models and spatiotemporal Gaussian process regression (ST-GPR) models.

Details of the fixed and random effects for LMER models, calculation of residual weights for spatiotemporal regression, determination of Gaussian process regression inputs (amplitude, scale, degree of differentiability, and data variance), and estimation of sub-model uncertainty are available in previous publications.^{21,26} Potential covariates are selected based on externally established associations and entered into the CODEm algorithm in a ranked fashion, with the covariates with the strongest associations and evidence for causal and proximate relationships marked as “Level 1”, covariates with strong associations but suspected distal or indirect relationships entered as “Level 2”, and covariates with the weakest or most distal relationships marked “Level 3”. All covariates are marked with their expected direction of association. Sub-models from all four families are generated with all possible Level 1 covariate combinations, and retained if the sign on all covariate coefficients is in the expected direction and significant at the $p < 0.05$ level. Level 2 covariates are then tested to see if adding them to the Level 1 sub-models retains the significance and direction of all the coefficients in the Level 1 sub-models and also meets the significance and direction criteria for the coefficient on the additional covariates. The sub-models retained after testing Level 2 covariates are then tested for the addition of Level 3 covariates. Sub-model generation is carried out using a training subset of 70% of the available data.

Retained sub-models are then ranked based on out-of-sample performance predicting a 15% data knock-out, and then combined into a set of ensemble models based on a monotonically declining weighting function and a pre-specified set of 21 weighting parameters. Each ensemble in the set is then evaluated based on performance predicting the remaining 15% of the data. Twenty-five train-test-test datasets are employed to stabilize ranking, and the test data-sets are selected to reflect observed patterns of missingness in the data.²⁶ Performance characteristics used to rank sub-models and select the best ensemble comprise: the root mean square error (RMSE) of the natural log of predicted death rates, and the percentage of consecutive-year prediction pairs for which the difference in log death rate between adjacent years has the same sign in both the test data and the predictions. The mean coverage across all 25 test sets is calculated for the final ensemble as the percent of the data in the test set included in the 95% prediction interval. Table 11 below reports the covariates, level, and specified direction tested in the CODEm model for cirrhosis.

Table 21: Covariates, level, and specified direction tested in cirrhosis CODEm model

Level	Covariate	Direction
1	Litres of alcohol per capita	+
	Seroprevalence (HBsAg) age-standardised	+
	Seroprevalence (anti-HCV) age-standardised	+
	Hepatitis B vaccine coverage proportion, aged through time	-
2	Mean BMI	+
	Healthcare Access and Quality Index (HAQi)	-
	Diabetes prevalence age-standardised	+
	Schistosomiasis prevalence	+
	Intravenous drug use	+
3	Education (years per capita)	-
	Lag distributed income (LDI) (ln transformation)	-
	Socio-demographic Index (SDI)	-

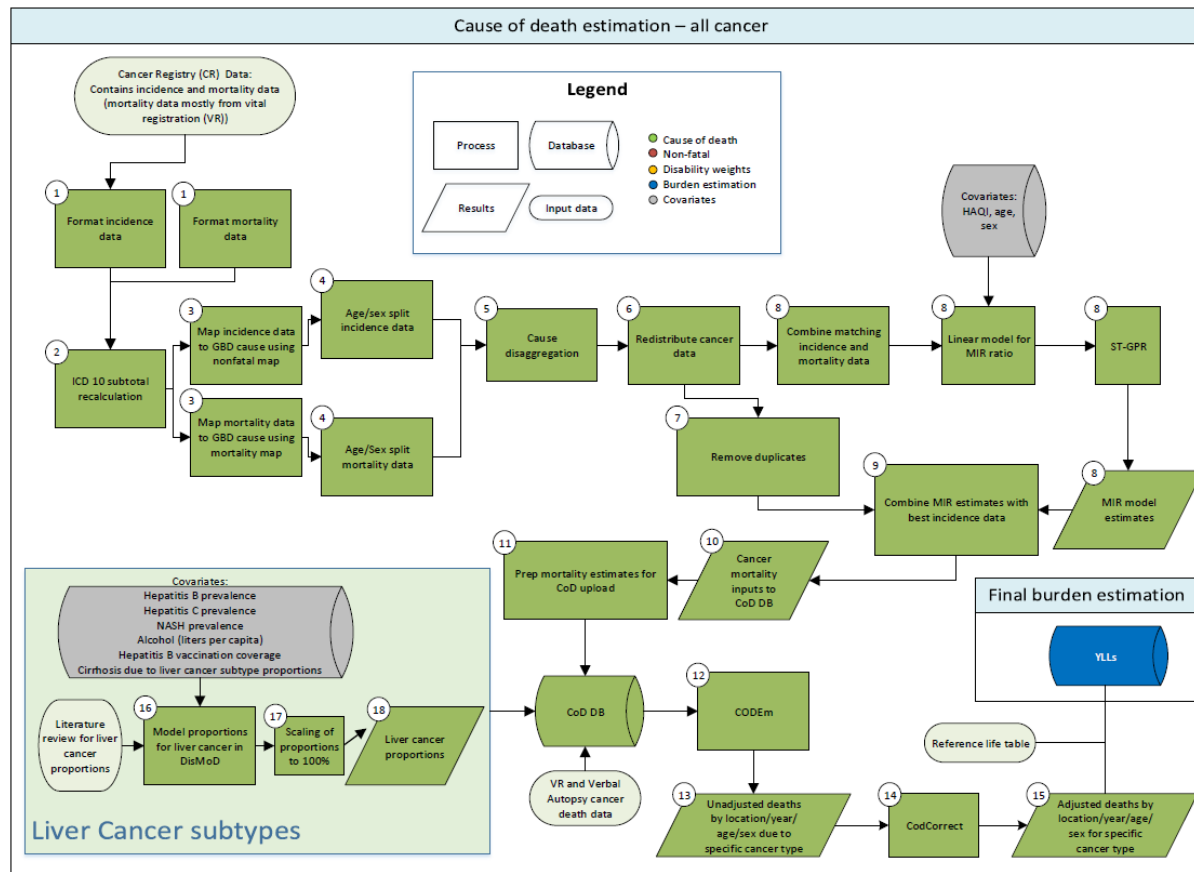
The data inputs and modeling approaches used to estimate hepatitis C seroprevalence, diabetes prevalence, schistosomiasis prevalence,⁹ litres of alcohol consumed per capita, mean body mass index, intravenous drug use,¹¹ Socio-demographic Index (SDI),¹² Healthcare Access and Quality Index (HAQi),^{9,13} education,²⁷ and lag-distributed income¹² for GBD have been previously described. These processes result in estimates of these covariates for every year-age-sex-location combination in the GBD framework, and they are updated with each round of GBD.

5.4 Modelling aetiology-specific estimates

We multiplied scaled proportions of the five modelled aetiologies of cirrhosis (hepatitis B, hepatitis C, alcohol, NAFLD, and other causes; see sections 4.2, 4.6 and 4.8 for data inputs, processing and modeling details)) by the mortality estimates from CODEm to generate mortality estimates of cirrhosis by aetiology. These multiplications were carried out at the level of individual draws for each year, age-group, sex and most granular location.

6 Liver cancer fatal estimation

6.1 Flowchart



Abbreviations: ICD, International classification of diseases; DB, database; ST-GPR, spatiotemporal Gaussian process regression; COD, causes of death; MI, mortality to incidence ratio; CODEm, cause of death ensemble model; HAQI, healthcare access and quality index; NASH, nonalcoholic steatohepatitis

Figure 17: Flowchart GBD cancer mortality, YLL estimation

6.2 Data identification and processing

Data for estimating (primary) liver cancer mortality (without regard to etiology) included vital registration (VR), verbal autopsy (VA), and cancer registry data. VR and VA data were identified and processed using standard GBD approaches summarized in section 5.2 and detailed in Naghavi *et al*²⁵ and the methods supplement to the GBD 2019 Diseases & Injuries Capstone.⁹ ICD codes used to map underlying cause of death from VR data to GBD causes of death are shown in Table 12.

Table 12: List of International Classification of Diseases (ICD) codes mapped to the Global Burden of Disease cause list for cancer mortality data

Cause	ICCC3	ICD10	ICD9
Liver cancer	VIIIb, VIIIc	C22, C22.0, C22.1, C22.3, C22.4, C22.5, C22.7, C22.8, D13.4	155, 155.0, 155.1, 155.3, 155.5, 155.9, 211.5

Cancer registry (CR) data sources and are processed using some additional unique steps, which have been previously described,^{9,28,29} and are summarized here. CR data processed for fatal estimation also serve as the inputs for estimation of nonfatal cancer burden, as described in section 7.

Most cancer registries only report cancer incidence. If, however, a cancer registry also reported cancer mortality, mortality data were also extracted. CR sources with matching incidence and mortality data were used to estimate mortality-to-incidence ratios. Cancer incidence and mortality data were sought from individual cancer registries, such as the Surveillance, Epidemiology, and End Results (SEER) Program³⁰; provided by collaborators; or downloaded from aggregated databases of cancer registry data such as “Cancer Incidence In Five Continents” (CI5),^{31–41} EUREG,⁴² or NORDCAN.⁴³ Only population-based cancer registries were included, with inclusion criteria that they included all cancers (ie, were not specialty registries), reported data for all age groups (except for paediatric cancer registries), and reported data for both sexes. Pathology-based cancer registries were included if they had a defined population. Hospital-based cancer registries were excluded. Redundant cancer registry data were excluded from either the final incidence data input or the MI model input if a more detailed source (eg, providing more detailed age or diagnostic groups) was available for the same population. Preference was given to registries with national coverage over those with only local coverage, except those from countries where the GBD study provides subnational estimates. Data were excluded if the coverage population was unknown. We used all data from GBD 2017⁷ and added registry data from Argentina, Australia, Austria, Bermuda, Canada, Chile, China, Colombia, Germany, the Netherlands, Switzerland, the United Kingdom, Uruguay, and Yemen.⁹

These CR data are first transformed into standardised files. Second, subtotals are recalculated for registries that report individual and aggregated totals to verify the totals and subtract the values of any individual codes from the aggregates. Third, cancer registry mortality data and cancer registry incidence data are mapped to GBD causes. A different map is used for mortality and incidence because of the assumption that there are no deaths for certain cancers. Maps of ICD codes to GBD causes for mortality and incidence data can be found in Table 12 and Table 13.

Table 13: List of International Classification of Diseases (ICD) codes mapped to the Global Burden of Disease cause list for cancer incidence data

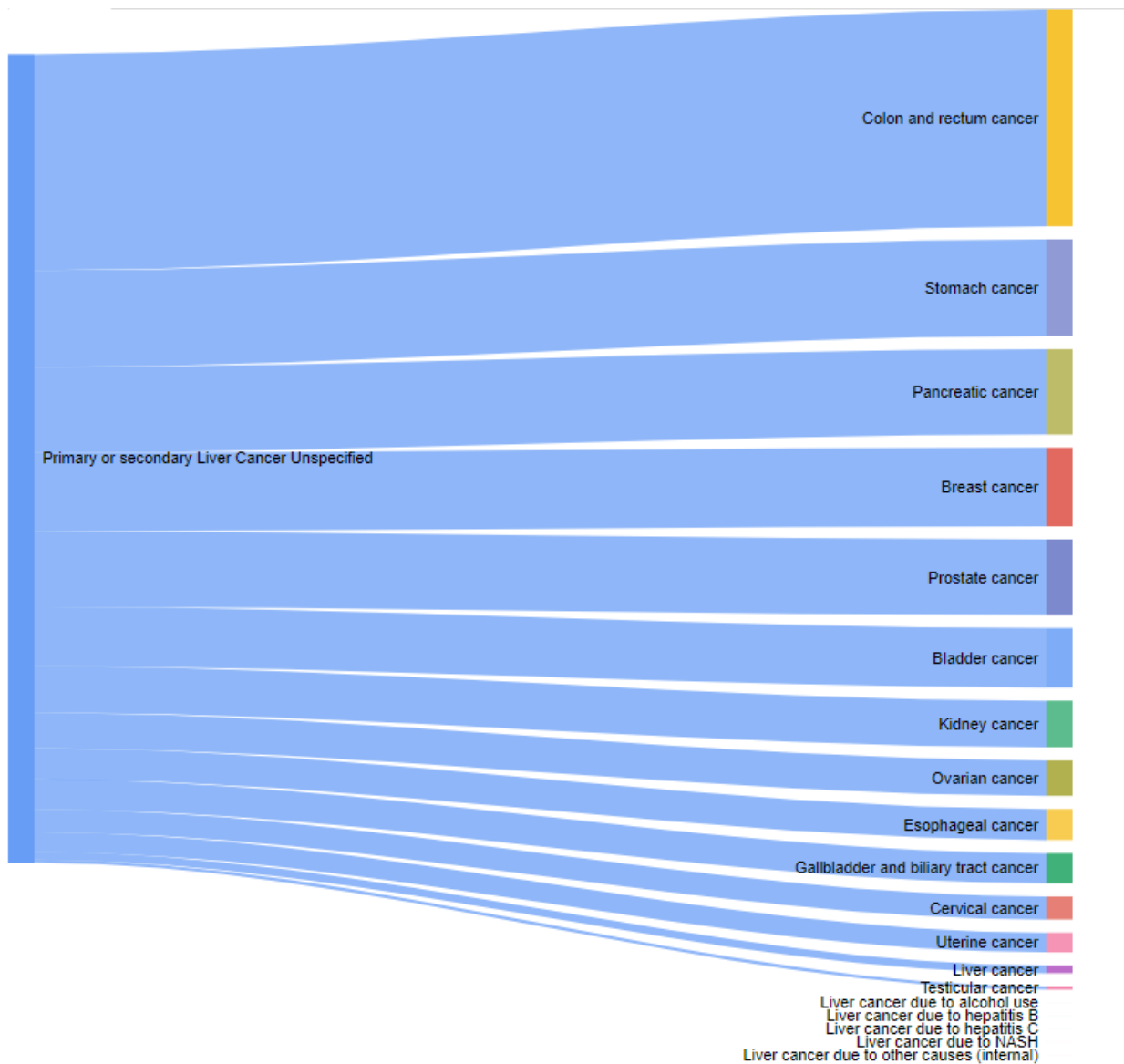
Cause	ICCC3	ICD10	ICD9
Liver cancer	VIIb, VIIc	C22, C22.0, C22.1, C22.3, C22.4, C22.5, C22.7, C22.8	155, 155.0, 155.1, 155.3, 155.5, 155.9

Fourth, data are standardised to GBD age groups and specific sexes. Global age-specific incidence rates are generated using all datasets that include microdata, and datasets that report age groups up to 95+ years of age. Age-specific mortality rates are generated using age weights from CoD data, as specified in Section 2.5 of Appendix 1 of the GBD 2019 Diseases and Injuries Capstone.⁹ For incidence or mortality datasets that require age-splitting, age-specific proportions are then generated by applying the age-specific rates to the registry population to produce the expected number of cases (or deaths for a mortality dataset) for that registry by age. The expected number of cases (or deaths) for each sex, age, and cancer were normalised to 1, creating final, age-specific proportions. These proportions were then applied to the total number of cases (or deaths) by sex and cancer to get the GBD age-group-specific number of cases (or deaths) related to that dataset. In the rare case that the cancer registry only contains data for both sexes combined, the age-specific cases/deaths are split and reassigned to separate sexes using the same weights that are used for the age-splitting process.

In the fifth step, data for cause entries that are aggregates of GBD causes were redistributed across those GBD causes. In the sixth step, unspecified ICD codes (“garbage codes”) such as “ill-defined cancer site” are redistributed across relevant causes estimated within the GBD hierarchy. Redistribution of cancer registry incidence and mortality data mirrored the process of the redistribution used in the cause of death database and utilised the same redistribution maps as specified in Section 2.4 of Appendix 1 to the GBD 2019 Diseases and Injuries Capstone.⁹

In GBD 2019, we changed ICD code mapping of C22.9 (“Malignant neoplasm of liver not specified as primary or secondary”) to no longer directly map to liver cancer. Instead, we redistributed these codes to liver cancer, as well as other cancers that metastasise to the liver. This mapping change greatly reduced the number of deaths distributed to primary liver cancer. The Sankey diagram below shows the target causes of the redistribution method (Figure 18). See Section 12 for a summary of estimate changes between GBD 2017 and GBD 2019.

Figure 18: Sankey diagram illustrating redistribution of ICD code 22.9 onto various cancers



In the seventh step, duplicate or redundant data sources were removed from the processed cancer registry dataset. Duplicate sources were present if, for example, a cancer registry was part of the CI5 database but we also had data from that registry directly. Redundancies occurred and were removed where more detailed data were available, or when national registry data could replace regionally representative data. From here, two parallel selection processes were run: one to generate input data for the mortality-to-incidence ratio (MIR) models, and one to generate incidence for final mortality estimation. When creating the final incidence input, higher priority was given to registry data from the most standardised source, whereas for the MIR model input, only sources that reported both incidence and mortality were used.

In the eighth step, the processed incidence and mortality data from cancer registries were matched by cancer cause, age, sex, year, and location to generate MI ratios. MIRs from locations in HAQ quintiles 1-4 were dropped if they were below the median of MI ratios from locations in HAQ quintile 5. We also dropped MI ratios from locations in HAQ quintiles 1-4 if the MI ratios were above an outlier threshold calculated as the third quartile + 1.5 * IQR (inter-quartile range). We dropped all MIR data that were based on fewer than 15 incident cases to avoid excessive variation in the ratio due to small numbers.

The MI ratios were used as inputs for a three-step modelling approach using the general GBD spatiotemporal Gaussian process regression (ST-GPR)¹¹ approach, with the Healthcare Access and Quality Index (HAQi)^{9,13} as a covariate in the linear step mixed effects model using a logit link function.¹³

$$\text{logit} (MI\ ratio_{c,a,s,t}) = \alpha + \beta_1 HAQi_{c,t} + \sum_a^A \beta_2 I_a + \beta_3 I_s + \epsilon_{c,a,s,t}$$

c: country, a: age group, t: time (years); s: sex, HAQi: Healthcare Access and Quality index, I: indicator variable, $\epsilon_{c,a,s,t}$: error term

Predictions were made without the random effects.

The ST-GPR model has three main hyper-parameters that control for smoothing across time, age, and geography.¹¹ These hyper-parameters were adjusted for GBD 2019 in order to improve model performance in locations with sparse data. The time adjustment parameter lambda (λ) aims to borrow strength from neighbouring time points (ie, the value in this year is highly correlated with the value in the previous year but less so further back in time). For GBD 2019, lambda was lowered from 2 to 0.05, increasing the weight of more distant years. The age adjustment parameter omega (ω) borrows strength from data in neighbouring age groups and was lowered from 1.0 to 0.5, increasing the weight of more distant age groups. The space adjustment parameter zeta (ξ) aims to borrow strength across the hierarchy of geographical locations. Zeta was lowered from 0.95 to 0.01, reducing the weight of more distant geographical data at the region or super-region level. For the remaining parameters in the Gaussian process regression, we lowered the amplitude from 2 to 1 (reducing fluctuation from the mean function) and reduced the scale value from 15 to 10 (reducing the time distance over which points are correlated). Compared to GBD 2017 models, these model specification changes generally led to more smoothing of the MI ratio estimates across age and time, and less geographical smoothing at the region or super-region level. A description of the GBD ST-GPR modeling tool can be found in Appendix 1 of the GBD 2019 Risk Factor Capstone,¹¹ and more details on its application to cancer mortality modeling can be found in Appendix 1 of the GBD 2019 Diseases & Injuries Capstone⁹ and Kocarnik et al.²⁹

In the final CR data-processing step, we generated mortality estimates from the cleaned cancer registry incidence dataset and the MI ratios modeled as described above.

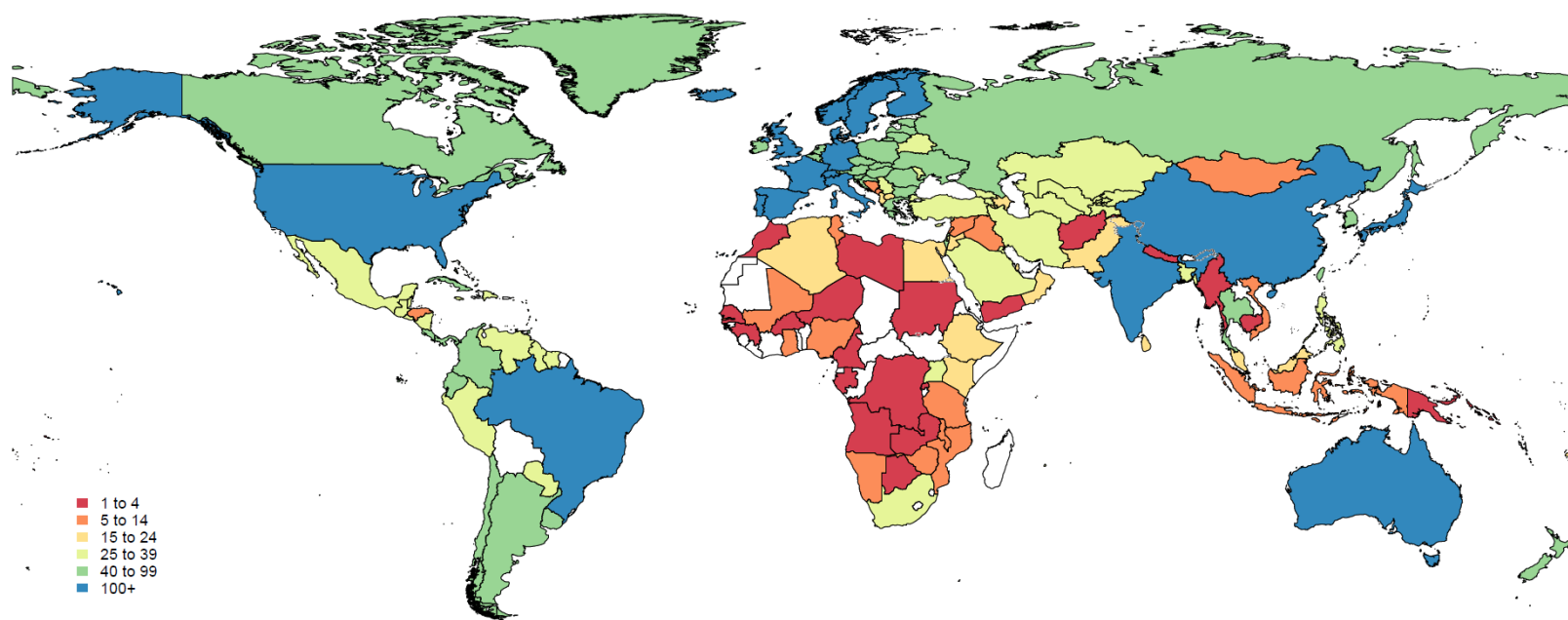
$$MIR_{estimates} * incidence_{registry} = mortality_{CR\ inputs}$$

These mortality estimates were then smoothed by a Bayesian noise-reduction algorithm (to deal with problems with zero counts, as also applied to the VR and VA data), as specified in Section

2.14 of Appendix 1 to the GBD 2019 Diseases and Injuries Capstone.⁹ These data were uploaded into the COD database as CR data.

Figure 19 shows the geographic coverage of cancer registry, vital registration, and verbal autopsy data inputs for modelling liver cancer.

Figure 19: Mortality data inputs for the fatal model of liver cancer



6.3 Modelling liver cancer mortality

Cancer-specific mortality modelling followed the general CODEm process using the totality of VA, VR, and CR data to generate estimates of location-age-year-sex liver cancer mortality. CODEm was described above in Section 5.3, and in greater detail in previous publications.^{9,26} Table 14 reports the covariates, level, and specified direction tested in the liver cancer CODEm model.

Table 34: Covariates, level, and specified direction tested in liver cancer CODEm model

Level	Covariate	Direction
1	Litres of alcohol consumed per capita	+
	HIV age-standardised prevalence	+
	Vaccine-adjusted HBsAg seroprevalence age-standardised	+
	Hepatitis C seroprevalence (anti-HCV) age-standardised	+
	Log-transformed SEV scalar: liver cancer	+
2	Hepatitis B 3-dose vaccine coverage (proportion)	-
	Hepatitis B vaccine coverage proportion, aged through time	-
	Intravenous drug use (age-standardised proportion)	+
	Cumulative cigarettes (20 years)	+
	Mean BMI	+
	Tobacco (cigarettes per capita)	+
	Healthcare Access and Quality Index (HAQi)	-
	Diabetes fasting plasma glucose (mmol/L), age-standardised 25+	+
3	Education (years per capita)	-
	Age- and sex-specific SEV for high red meat	+
	LDI (I\$ per capita)	-
	Socio-demographic Index (SDI)	-

The data inputs and modeling approaches used to estimate hepatitis C and HIV prevalence,⁹ litres of alcohol consumed per capita, mean body mass index, intravenous drug use, summary exposure values (SEVs), cigarette and tobacco consumption, fasting plasma glucose,¹¹

Healthcare Access and Quality Index (HAQi),^{9,13} education,²⁷ lag-distributed income, and Socio-demographic index (SDI)¹² for GBD have been previously described. These processes result in estimates of these covariates for every year-age-sex-location combination in the GBD framework, and they are updated with each round of GBD.

6.4 Modelling aetiology-specific estimates

We applied scaled proportions of the five modelled aetiologies of liver cancer (hepatitis B, hepatitis C, alcohol, NAFLD, and other causes) to mortality estimates from CODEm to generate mortality estimates of liver cancer by aetiology. See sections 7.3 and 7.4 and previous publications^{9,28} for descriptions of the data and models used to estimate aetiologic proportions for (primary) liver cancer.

7 Liver cancer non-fatal estimation

7.1 Flowchart

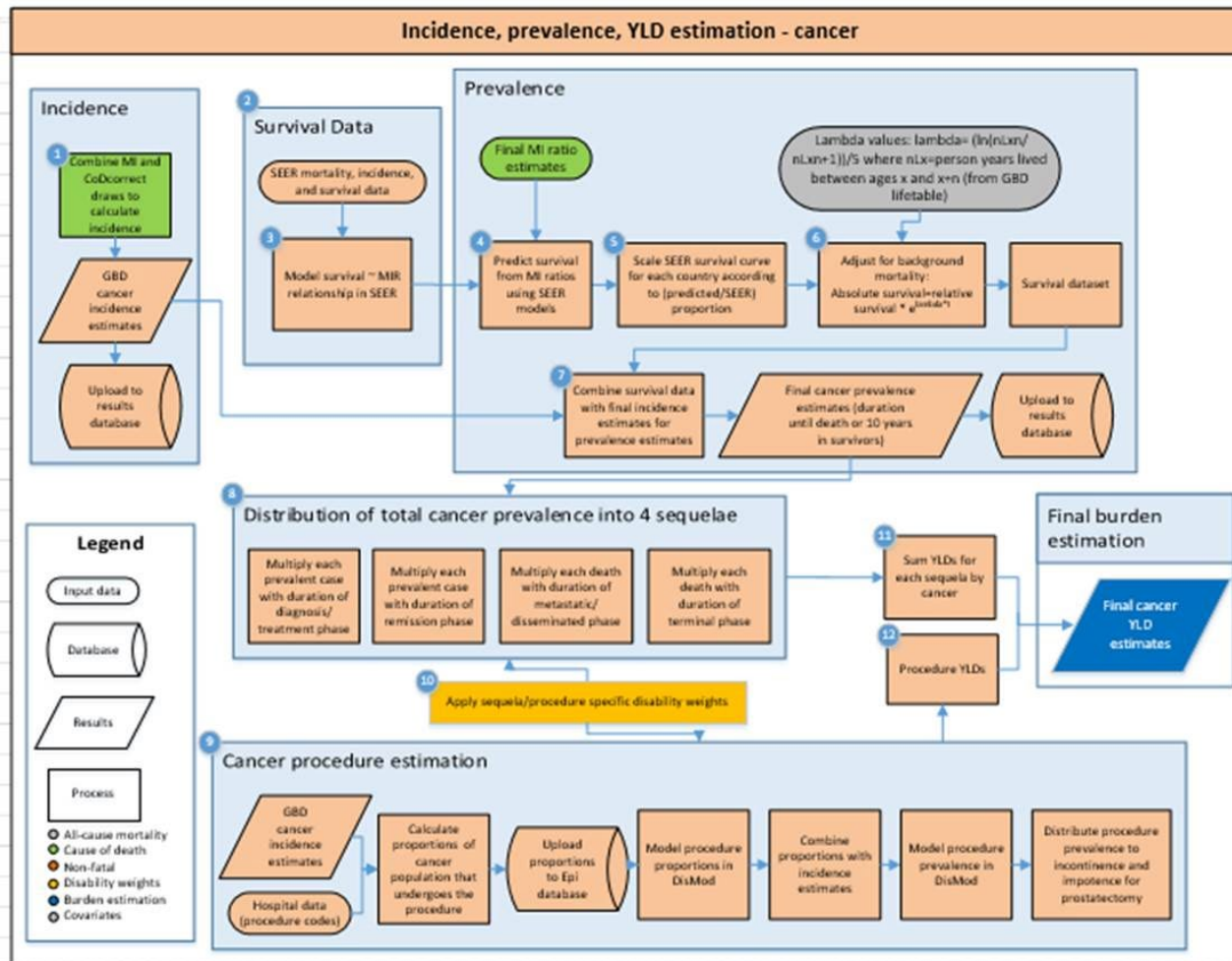


Figure 20: Flowchart GBD liver cancer incidence, prevalence, YLD estimation

7.2 Modelling liver cancer morbidity

Rather than employing data for one or more nonfatal epidemiologic parameters (such as incidence or prevalence) in a meta-regression model to estimate the incidence of a given cancer, estimates of cancer incidence in GBD are calculated from estimates of specific cancer mortality and MIRs,^{9,28} as were described for (primary) liver cancer above in section 6. The final GBD liver cancer mortality estimates for every year-age-sex-location combination (after CoDCorrect adjustment) were divided by the modelled MIR estimates. As with other GBD calculations, this was done at the draw level. It was assumed that uncertainty in the MIRs is independent of uncertainty in the estimated mortality.

After transforming the final GBD cancer mortality estimates to incidence estimates (Figure 18), incidence was combined with annual relative survival estimates from 1 to 10 years after diagnosis. We estimated yearly cancer relative survival for each location as a function of HAQI and MIR. In GBD 2019, we updated these methods to estimate age-specific rather than all-ages survival curves.⁹

Previous reports suggest that the value of $(1 - \text{MIR})$ may serve as a proxy for 5-year relative survival, with the exact correlation varying slightly by cancer type.⁴⁴ Because this correlation varies, we trained cancer-specific prediction models to estimate 5-year survival from MIRs, using data from SEER.³⁰ We used SEER*Stat⁴⁵ to obtain mortality, incidence, and relative survival statistics from the nine SEER registries reporting from 1980 to 2014, by cancer type, sex, 5-year blocks (ie, 1980–84, 1985–89, etc.), and 5-year age groups (except combining 80+). For each cancer, we modelled SEER 5-year relative survival using MIRs calculated from SEER mortality and incidence. For GBD 2019, we updated this model from the Poisson regression used in GBD 2017²⁸ to using a generalised linear model with a quasi-binomial family and logit link, weighted by the number of index cases (step 3). These models were then applied to the GBD MIR estimates to predict an estimated 5-year survival for each age/sex/year/location. To prevent unrealistic values, predicted 5-year survival values were Winsorised to be between 0% and 100% survival.

To generate yearly survival estimates up to 10 years, in GBD 2019 we downloaded SEER sex- and age-specific annual 1- through 10-year relative survival data from persons diagnosed between 2001 and 2010.⁴⁶ A proportional scalar was calculated as the predicted GBD 5-year survival estimate divided by the SEER 5-year survival statistic, and was then used to generate yearly survival estimates by scaling the 1–10-year SEER curve to the GBD survival predictions under the proportional hazard assumption (step 5). This change from GBD 2017 (where we used SEER all-ages data from 2004 as the scalar and survival curve) impacts prevalence and YLD estimation, generally leading to survival estimates that are higher for younger ages and lower for older ages compared to estimates using the all-ages curve.

The estimated relative survival is next transformed into absolute survival estimates. To account for background mortality in the relative survival estimates, GBD 2019 life tables were used to calculate lambda values:

$$\lambda = \frac{\ln\left(\frac{nLx_n}{nLx_{n+1}}\right)}{5}$$

nLx = person-years lived between ages x and $x+n$ (from GBD life table).

Absolute survival was then calculated using an exponential survival function:

$$\text{absolute survival} = \text{relative survival} * e^{\lambda * t}$$

t = time, in years

Absolute survival is combined with incidence to estimate the prevalence at each year 1 through 10 after diagnosis, which is then split into the four sequelae (step 8 in the flowchart). For the purposes of calculating disability due to cancer, survivors beyond 10 years were considered cured. For this group, the survivor population prevalence was divided into two sequelae: 1) diagnosis and primary therapy phase; and 2) controlled phase. For the population that did not survive beyond 10 years, the yearly prevalence was divided into the four sequelae by assigning the fixed durations for each of the diagnosis and primary therapy phase, metastatic phase, and terminal phase, and assigning the remaining prevalence to the controlled phase. Table 15 lists the duration of each phase.

Table 45: Duration of four prevalence phases⁴⁶

Diagnosis/ treatment (months)	Remission (months)	Disseminated/ metastatic (months)	Terminal (months)
4	Calculated based on remainder of time after attributing other sequelae.	2.51	1

7.3 Aetiological proportion data

To find data to inform the proportions of (primary) liver cancer due to each of five aetiologies, a systematic literature search was performed in PubMed on 10/24/2016 using the following search string:

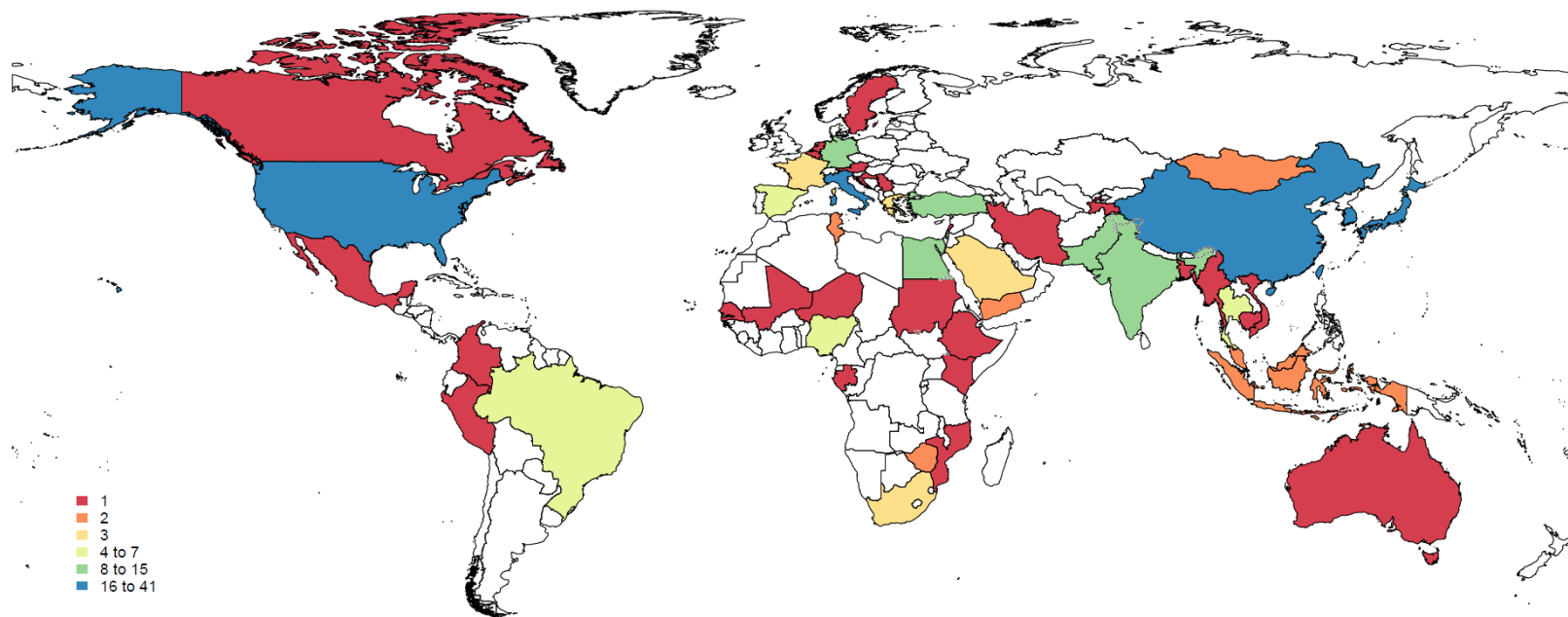
("liver neoplasms"[All Fields] OR "HCC"[All Fields] OR "liver cancer"[All Fields] OR "Carcinoma, Hepatocellular"[Mesh]) AND (("hepatitis B"[All Fields] OR "Hepatitis B"[Mesh] OR "Hepatitis B virus"[Mesh] OR "Hepatitis B Antibodies"[Mesh] OR "Hepatitis B Antigens"[Mesh]) OR ("hepatitis C"[All Fields] OR "Hepatitis C"[Mesh] OR "hepatitis C antibodies"[MESH] OR "Hepatitis C Antigens"[Mesh] OR "Hepacivirus"[Mesh]) OR ("alcohol"[All Fields] OR "Alcohol Drinking"[Mesh] OR "Alcohol-Related Disorders"[Mesh] OR "Alcoholism"[Mesh] OR "Alcohol-Induced Disorders"[Mesh])) NOT (animals[MeSH] NOT humans[MeSH])".

Studies were included if they reported on the aetiologies of a sample of liver cancer cases that were representative of the liver cancer population. Several studies not initially found through this

search but that were included in the meta-analysis by de Martel et al, were added.⁴⁷ We also included the study by Hong et al, after the authors provided us with additional data on the overlap in aetiologies.⁴⁸ Our systematic review of aetiologic proportions was not updated for GBD 2019. A comprehensive updated systematic review is planned for a future round of GBD.

For each study, the proportions of liver cancer due to the five specific aetiologies were calculated. Cases were considered to be due to NASH when the manuscript explicitly listed the aetiology to be NASH or non-alcoholic fatty liver disease (NAFLD). Cases where the aetiology was listed as “cryptogenic,” “idiopathic,” or “unknown” were included within the “other causes” category. In manuscripts where the aetiology for a case was not known but major categories could not be ruled out (for example, if the study tested for hepatitis B and C, but did not assess alcohol use), only the explicitly defined proportions were included (in this example, including proportions for hepatitis B and C, and excluding any remainder). Remaining aetiologies were included under a combined “other” group (for example, hemochromatosis, autoimmune hepatitis, Wilson’s disease, etc.). If multiple aetiologies were reported for an individual patient, these were apportioned proportionally to the individual aetiologies (similar to the strategy reported for cirrhosis in section 4.6).

Figure 21: Data inputs for the liver cancer due to hepatitis B aetiological proportion model



7.4 Modelling proportion of liver cancer due to hepatitis B

We used the proportion of liver cancer due to hepatitis B data to generate proportion estimates in a single-parameter model in DisMod-MR 2.1. As mentioned in section 4.10, and in contrast to the compartmental framework of many DisMod models, a single-parameter model uses only one data type to estimate one parameter, in this case proportion values. We included predictive covariates in the model to improve estimation for areas where data were scant or absent. Table 16 summarises covariates used in the single-parameter proportion model.

Table 56: Covariates used in the proportion of liver cancer due to hepatitis B DisMod-MR model

Covariate	Prior (min, max)	Exponentiated beta (95% UI)
Hepatitis B seroprevalence (HBsAg) age-standardised	(0,1)	1.90 (1.25–2.63)
Proportion of cirrhosis due to hepatitis B	(0,1)	1.54 (1.05–2.39)
Hepatitis B 3-dose coverage (proportion), lagged 10 years	(-1,0)	0.91 (0.82–0.99)

Separate single-parameter DisMod models were run to estimate the proportion of liver cancer due to the four specified aetiologies other than hepatitis B and the results of the five proportion models were re-scaled at the draw level for each year, age, sex and location to produce final proportion estimates. Models for aetiologies other than hepatitis B have been previously described.^{9,28}

7.5 Modelling aetiology-specific estimates

We applied scaled proportions of the five modelled aetiologies of liver cancer (hepatitis B, hepatitis C, alcohol use, NAFLD/NASH, and other causes, as described in 7.3 and 7.4) to prevalence and incidence estimates to generate estimates of liver cancer by aetiology.

7.6 Disability weights

We generated estimates of years lived with disability by multiplying aetiology-specific prevalence estimates by their respective disability weights, as shown in Table 17. For a description of disability weight estimation, please see section 4.13 and previous GBD publications^{11,19,20,24}

Table 17: Disability weights for liver cancer

Health state	Lay description	Disability weight (95% uncertainty interval)
Cancer, diagnosis and primary therapy	This person has pain, nausea, fatigue, weight loss, and high anxiety.	0.288 (0.193–0.399)
Cancer, controlled phase	This person has a chronic disease that requires medication every day and causes some worry but minimal interference with daily activities.	0.049 (0.031–0.072)
Cancer, metastatic	This person has severe pain, extreme fatigue, weight loss, and high anxiety.	0.451 (0.307–0.600)
Terminal phase, with medication	This person has lost a lot of weight and regularly uses strong medication to avoid constant pain. The person has no appetite, feels nauseous, and needs to spend most of the day in bed.	0.540 (0.377–0.687)

8 Acute hepatitis B non-fatal estimation

8.1 Flowchart

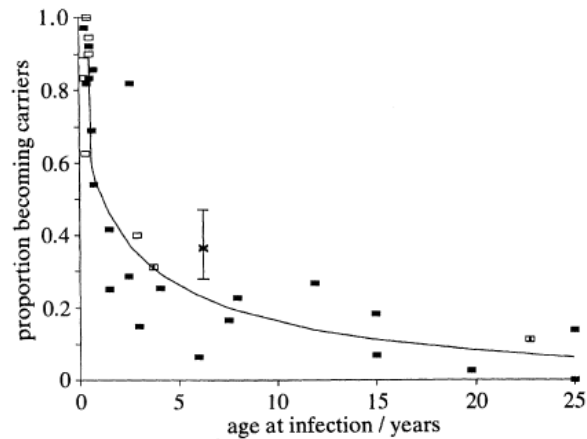
See Figure 1 (section 3.1) for flowchart on acute hepatitis B non-fatal estimation.

8.2 Modelling acute hepatitis B morbidity

We used the final estimates of HBsAg seroincidence (see Section 3) to generate estimates of total incidence of hepatitis B infection by dividing age-specific estimates of seroincidence by age-specific estimates of the probability of infection resulting in carriage based on Edmunds et al (Figure 22).⁴⁹ Edmunds et al only reports this probability for ages 0–25 years, so we assumed the probability for ages 25+ is the same as estimates for age 25.

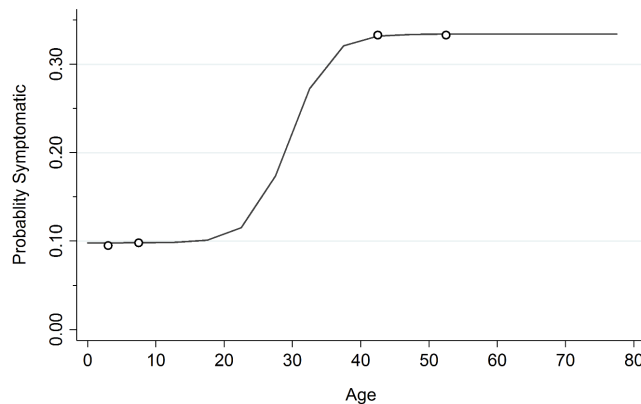
$$\begin{aligned}P(\text{carrier} \mid \text{age} \leq 6 \text{ months}) &= 0.885 \\P(\text{carrier} \mid 6 \text{ months} \leq \text{age} < 25 \text{ years}) &= e^{-0.645 \times \text{age}^{0.455}} \\P(\text{carrier} \mid \text{age} \geq 25 \text{ years}) &= e^{-0.645 \times 25^{0.455}} = 0.061\end{aligned}$$

Figure 22: Probability of infection resulting in chronic carriage from Edmunds et al⁴⁹



We then assigned cases of acute hepatitis B infection to one of three states: severe, moderate, or asymptomatic. To do so, we first estimated the incidence of symptomatic acute infections by multiplying the incident infection rate calculated above by the probability of acute symptomatic illness. We used estimates of this probability by age, for both sexes, from McMahon et al.⁵⁰ We assumed symptomatic perinatal cases are rare and used a probability of 1%, rather than the estimate from McMahon for age 0 (Figure 23).

Figure 23: Probability of symptomatic acute infection by age



We used cases from McMahon et al⁵⁰ to calculate the probability an acute infection is severe, sampling from a beta distribution (Table 18). We assigned the remainder of acute symptomatic infections to the moderate state. We calculated asymptomatic infections as the difference between total acute infections and acute symptomatic infections. We assume duration of acute infections to be six weeks based on consultation with subject matter experts.

Table 18: Severity distribution of acute hepatitis B infection

0 percentile	25 percentile	50 percentile	75 percentile	100 percentile
0.032	0.2	0.26	0.32	0.62

8.3 Disability weights

Table 19 lists the disability weights associated with acute hepatitis B sequelae.^{19,20} We do not assign disability to asymptomatic acute hepatitis B infections. For a description of disability weight estimation, please see section 4.13 and previous GBD publications^{11,19,20,24}

Table 196: Disability weights for acute hepatitis B

Sequela	Description	Disability weight (95% uncertainty interval)
Moderate	Has a fever and aches, and feels weak, which causes some difficulty with daily activities.	0.051 (0.032–0.074)
Severe	Has a high fever and pain, and feels very weak, which causes great difficulty with daily activities.	0.133 (0.088–0.19)
Asymptomatic	Infection with no apparent illness	NA

9 Acute hepatitis B fatal estimation

9.1 Flowchart

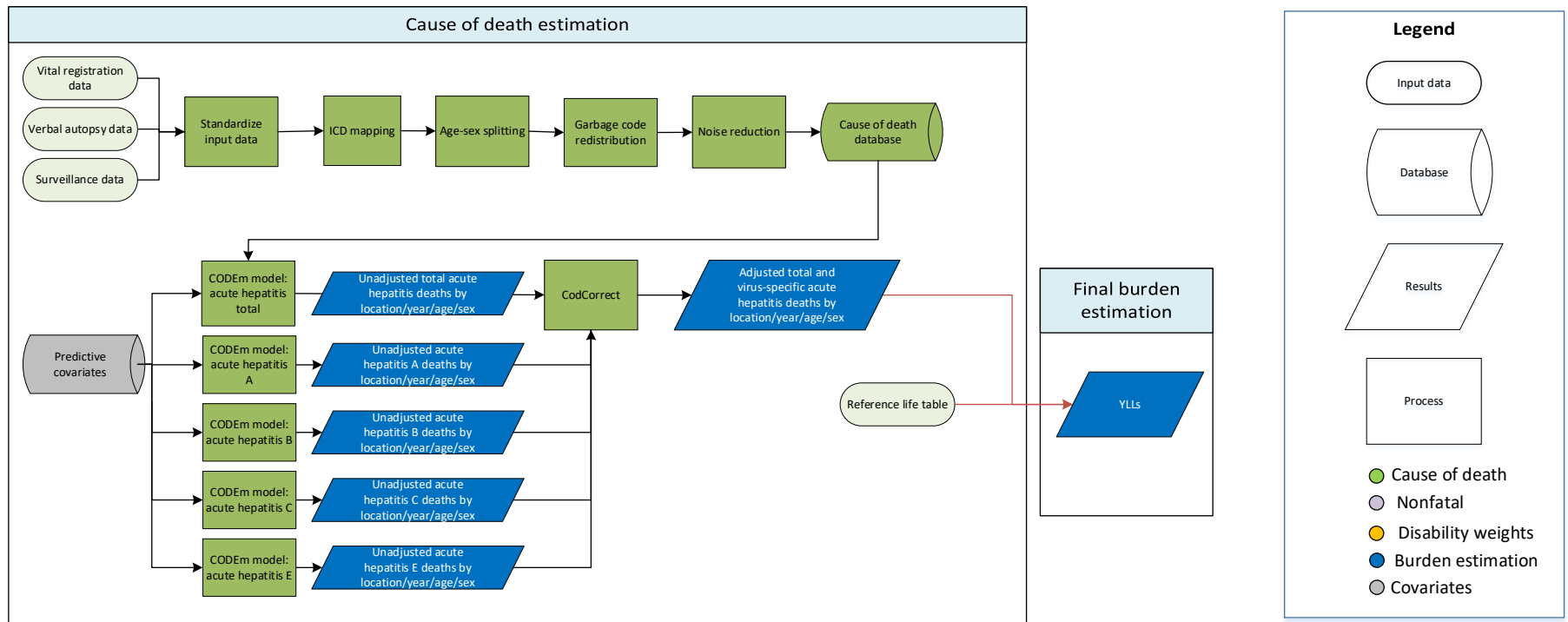


Figure 24: GBD acute hepatitis mortality, YLL estimation

9.2 Data identification and processing

We used vital registration (VR) and verbal autopsy (VA) data to model the acute (viral) hepatitis of any type (also called the “parent model”) and high-quality VR data to model acute hepatitis B. The details of processing cause of death (COD) data for GBD, including mapping, disaggregation, age-sex splitting, corrections for misclassification, redistribution of garbage codes, noise reduction, and quality ratings have been previously described.^{9,25} The ICD codes that map directly to total acute hepatitis and acute hepatitis B specifically are listed in Table 20.

Table 70: List of International Classification of Diseases (ICD) codes mapped to the Global Burden of Disease cause list for acute hepatitis parent and acute hepatitis B mortality data

Cause	ICD system	ICD codes
Acute hepatitis parent	10	B15, B16, B17.0, B17.2, B19.1, B19.10, B19.11, P35.3
	9	070.0, 070.1, 070.2, 070.20, 070.21, 070.42, 070.43, 070.52, 070.53
Acute hepatitis B	10	B16, B19.1, B19.1, B19.11, P35.3
	9	070.2, 070.20, 070.21, 070.3, 070.30, 070.31, 070.42, 070.52

An important component of mortality estimation is redistribution of vague, impossible, intermediate or immediate causes of death to valid underlying causes of death in the GBD cause list.^{9,25} In GBD 2019, we investigated the subset of our data from vital registration systems that allow recording multiple diagnostic codes as causes of death (underlying, intermediate, etc) and found that where a code for hepatitis that did not specify acuity was assigned as the underlying cause of death, ICD codes for chronic liver disease often appeared in the cause of death chain. Based on this analysis, a proportion of hepatitis, unspecified deaths were redistributed to death due to cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases, and a small proportion to acute hepatitis, as illustrated above in Figure 24. Prior to GBD 2019, all of these deaths had been mapped directly to acute hepatitis.

We marked data as outliers and excluded them in instances where garbage code redistribution and noise reduction, in combination with small sample sizes, resulted in unreasonable cause fractions or unreasonable time, age, or spatial trends.

Figure 25: Mortality data inputs for the parent acute hepatitis

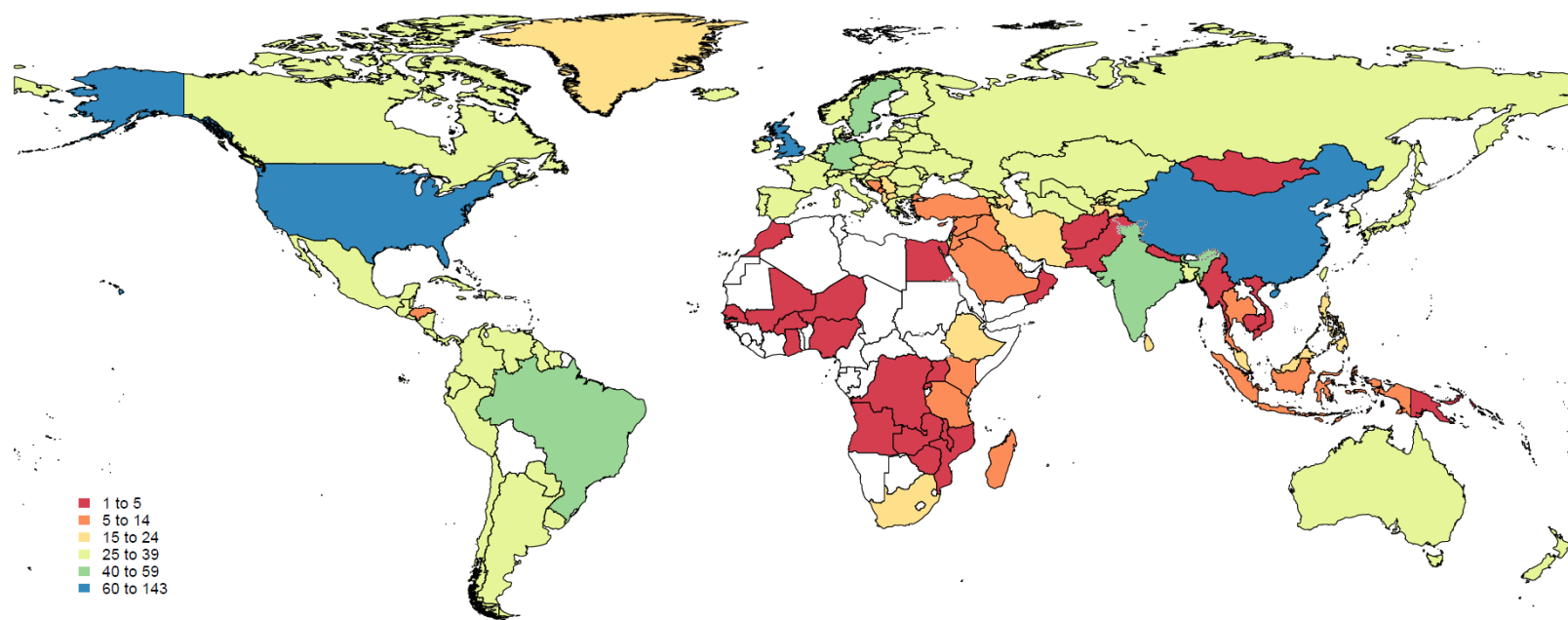
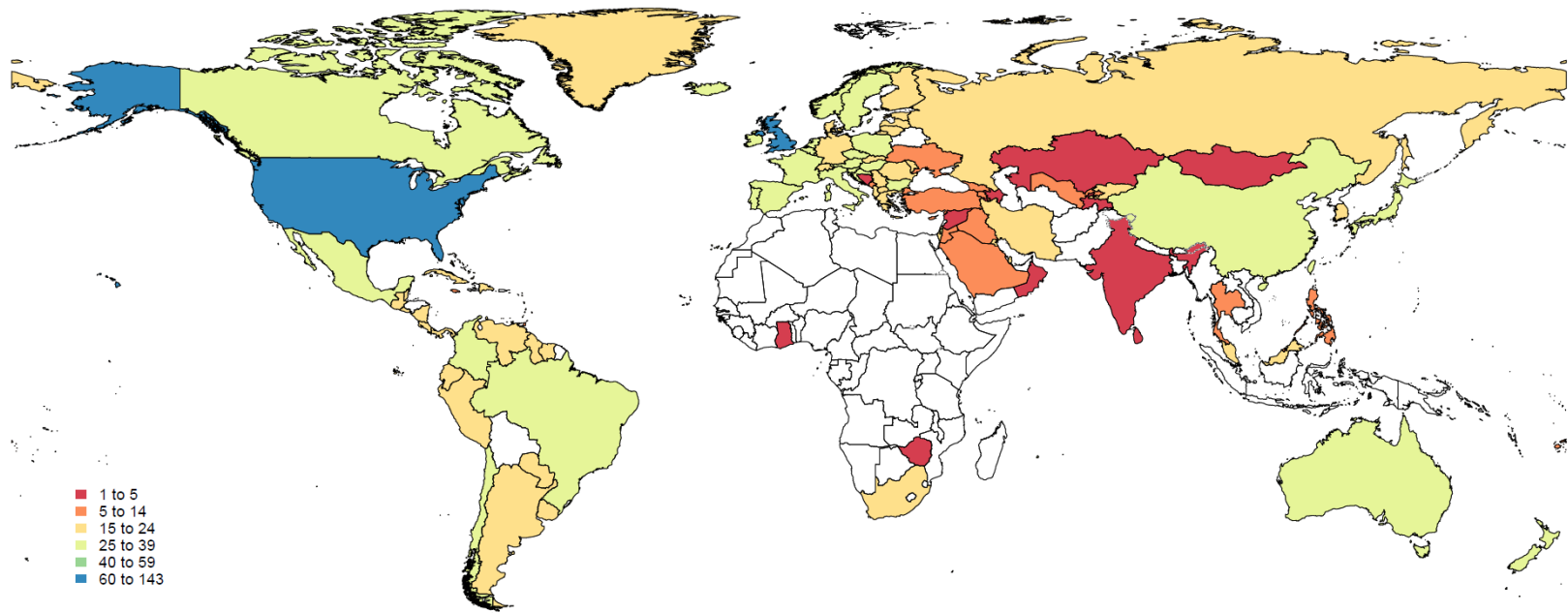


Figure 26: Mortality data inputs for the acute hepatitis B



9.3 Modelling acute hepatitis parent mortality

Acute hepatitis parent mortality was modeled in CODEm using VR and VA data to generate estimates specific to year, age, sex and location. CODEm was described in more detail in Section 5.3 and previous publications.^{9,26} Table 21 reports the covariates, level, and specified direction tested in the acute hepatitis parent CODEm model.

Table 81: Covariates, level, and specified direction tested in parent acute hepatitis CODEm model

Level	Covariate	Direction
1	SEV scalar age-standardised hepatitis	+
	Seroprevalence (HBsAg) age-standardised	+
	Seroprevalence (anti-HCV) age-standardised	+
	Seroprevalence (anti-HAV) age-standardised	+
	Seroprevalence (anti-HEV) age-standardised	+
2	Healthcare Access and Quality Index (HAQi)	-
	SEV unsafe sanitation	+
	SEV unsafe water	+
	Socio-demographic Index (SDI)	-
	Hep B vaccine coverage proportion, aged through time	-
	Injection drug use proportion by age	+
3	Education (years per capita)	-
	Lag distributed income (LDI) (ln transformation)	-

The data inputs and modeling approaches used to estimate seroprevalence of anti-HCV, anti-HAV and anti-HEV,⁹ Healthcare Access and Quality Index (HAQi),^{9,13} summary exposure values (SEVs) and injection drug use,¹¹ Socio-demographic index (SDI),¹² education,²⁷ and lag-distributed income¹² for GBD have been previously described. These processes result in estimates of these covariates for every year-age-sex-location combination in the GBD framework, and they are updated with each round of GBD.

9.4 Modelling acute hepatitis B mortality

Acute hepatitis B mortality was modeled in CODEm using high quality VR data to generate estimates specific to year, age, sex and location. CODEm was described in more detail in Section 5.3 and previous publications.^{9,26} Table 22 reports the covariates, level, and specified direction tested in the acute hepatitis B CODEm model.

After modeling acute hepatitis deaths encompassing all hepatitis virus types (A, B, C, and E) in the parent CODEm model, and also modeling acute hepatitis A, B, C, and E in separate CODEm models, the virus-specific acute hepatitis deaths were rescaled to fit within the envelope defined by the parent through the CoDCorrect process.

Table 92: Covariates, level, and specified direction tested in acute hepatitis B CODEm model

Level	Covariate	Direction
1	SEV scalar (hepatitis)	+
	Seroprevalence (HBsAg) age-standardised	+
2	Healthcare Access and Quality Index (HAQi)	-
	Socio-demographic Index (SDI)	-
	Hep B vaccine coverage proportion, aged through time	-
	Injection drug use proportion by age	+
3	Education (years per capita)	-
	Lag distributed income (LDI) (ln transformation)	-

The data inputs and modeling approaches used to estimate summary exposure values (SEVs),¹¹ Healthcare Access and Quality Index (HAQi),^{9,13} Socio-demographic index (SDI),¹² injection drug use,¹¹ education,²⁷ and lag-distributed income¹² for GBD have been previously described. These processes result in estimates of these covariates for every year-age-sex-location combination in the GBD framework, and they are updated with each round of GBD.

10 Hepatitis B 3-dose primary series vaccine coverage estimation

10.1 HepB3 vaccine data inputs

The hepatitis B 3 dose primary series (HepB3) vaccination coverage estimation process is described in detail in a separate report.¹⁴ Input datasources were found by searching the Global Health Data Exchange (GHDx) with the keywords Hepatitis B vaccines OR Hepatitis vaccines. Sources include survey microdata (for example, DHS, MICS, and smaller country-specific surveys where available), survey report data in the absence of available microdata, and bias-adjusted official country-reported data obtained from the joint reporting form (JRF) collated by WHO and UNICEF.

10.2 Modelling HepB3 vaccine coverage

Estimates of HepB3 coverage capture the proportion of 0–11-month-old children who received the complete three-dose series by location and year. Given the relatively recent introduction of HepB3 compared to the diphtheria-tetanus-pertussis (DTP) series, we modelled HepB3 coverage as a ratio against DTP3 to better capture vaccine scale-up. This ratio was constrained so that HepB3 coverage never exceeded DTP3 coverage in any location-year. Vaccine introduction years were country-specific, aligning with country reports from the 2020 JRF. We ran spatiotemporal Gaussian process regression (ST-GPR) models¹¹ to produce estimates of HepB3 coverage correlated over space and time. To inform coverage estimates in locations and years with sparse data, we included HAQi and the mortality rate due to events of war as covariates in the model, in addition to a custom covariate estimating the magnitude of disruption due to country-reported HepB3 delivery disruptions. After modelling the scale-up in ST-GPR, ratios were multiplied by final DTP3 estimates to calculate HepB3 coverage.

11 Additional analyses

11.1 Target achievement

All country estimates at the draw level were compared with the goals put forth in the World Health Organization-Global Health Sector Strategy (WHO-GHSS) 2020 Goals⁵¹ and the World Health Organization's Interim Guidance for Country Validation of Viral Hepatitis Elimination (WHO Interim Guidance)⁵² to assess the posterior probability of achieving targets. Countries were determined to have a high probability (95% or greater) of achieving a particular goal if 950 or more draws out of 1000 draws met or exceeded the proposed goal.

11.2 Annualised rate of change

Annualised rate of change (ARC) is the percentage change per year in a given time interval:

$$ARC = \frac{\ln\left(\frac{X_{y_2}}{X_{y_1}}\right)}{y_2 - y_1}$$

X_{y_n} = rate value at year y_n ; y_1 = starting year (e.g. 2015); y_2 = ending year (e.g. 2019)

ARC was calculated between 2015 and 2019 to assess progress since the adoption of the WHO-GHSS. We assessed what the rate of change would need to be from 2019 to 2030 in order to meet WHO-GHSS 2030 targets. Final HBV-related mortality estimates from 2015 were multiplied by 0.35 (1 – 0.65, ie, the mortality target) to get what the HBV-related mortality estimates would need to be in 2030 to achieve the WHO-GHSS 2030 target. Final HBsAg prevalence under 5 estimates from 2015 were multiplied by 0.05 (1 – 0.95, ie, the new cases target) to get what the HBsAg estimates would need to be in 2030 to achieve the WHO-GHSS 2030 target. ARC was calculated between 2019 and 2030 estimates to determine what the rate of change needed to achieve goals would need to be. We also assessed what ARC would need be from 2019 to achieve the absolute mortality rate target of less than 4 per 100,000 in 2030, as put forth in recent WHO Interim Guidance. ARC was calculated by dividing 4 per 100,000 (i.e. the absolute mortality rate target) by the final HBV-related mortality estimates from 2019, and again by the year gap between 2019 and 2030.

12 Summary of changes from GBD 2017

Several important data and methods changes happened in GBD 2019 that led to differences from estimates produced in GBD 2017. Table 23 summarises the estimates between GBD studies.

Table 103: Summary of global death estimates for GBD 2017 and GBD 2019

Cause	GBD 2017 (% of parent)	GBD 2019 (% of parent)	Percentage change between GBD cycles
Total cirrhosis deaths	1,323,000	1,430,000	8.1%
Cirrhosis due to hepatitis B deaths	384,000 (29%)	321,000 (22%)	-16.4%
Total liver cancer deaths	819,000	461,000	-43.7%
Liver cancer due to hepatitis B	325,000 (40%)	184,000 (40%)	-43.4%
Total acute (viral) hepatitis deaths	126,000	82,500	-34.5%
Acute hepatitis B deaths	89,600 (71%)	32,700 (40%)	-63.5%
Total HBV-related deaths	799,000	538,000	-32.7%

12.1 HBsAg changes

The HBsAg prevalence estimates generally decreased between GBD 2017 and GBD 2019. In GBD 2017, the DisMod-MR 2.1 model estimating HBsAg seroprevalence used all available data; however, it tended to follow data from unvaccinated populations and poorly fit prevalence data from vaccinated populations at younger ages. DisMod-MR 2.1 assumes that diseases are steady-state; however, vaccine uptake and cohort effects have led to rapid changes in seroprevalence. In GBD 2019, we changed the modelling strategy to a counterfactual model to estimate what seroprevalence would be in the absence of vaccination efforts. We excluded seroprevalence data in age groups and years where vaccination had been introduced prior to modelling the counterfactual scenario in DisMod-MR 2.1. We then performed a post-hoc adjustment based on GBD-produced location-year-specific hepatitis B 3-dose vaccine coverage and an assumed vaccine efficacy. The proportion of coverage by location and year were multiplied by vaccine efficacy of 95% to get the proportion of the population that completed the hepatitis B 3-dose vaccine series in infancy. Then these results were subtracted from the HBsAg seroprevalence DisMod estimates to get final estimates of HBsAg prevalence and incidence. Smaller changes to HBsAg prevalence estimation resulted from the addition of more seroprevalence data, largely added from our comparison of sources with Schweitzer et al.³

12.2 Cirrhosis changes

There was a slight increase in overall cirrhosis mortality estimates between the estimation cycles. In GBD 2017 and earlier rounds, ICD codes for hepatitis that did not specify acuity were mapped to acute (viral) hepatitis. In GBD 2019, we reviewed vital registration data sources that provide

information on multiple causes of death (underlying, intermediate, and immediate, as well as predisposing conditions), and noted that many “unspecified hepatitis” deaths included chronic liver diseases in the cause of death chain. Based on these analyses, those deaths were proportionately redistributed to cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases and acute hepatitis, with the majority assigned to the former. Details of the GBD multiple cause of death (MCO) analysis have been previously published.⁹ Smaller changes in cirrhosis mortality estimation were seen due to the addition of new VR and VA data sources.

Cirrhosis deaths due to hepatitis B, however, decreased from GBD 2017, due to additional case-series data sources to improve estimation of the proportion of cirrhosis deaths due to hepatitis B. Our model of the proportion of cirrhosis deaths attributable to hepatitis B was also influenced by decreases in our estimate of HBsAg seroprevalence, as this is employed as covariate in our aetiologic proportion model (as described above in section 4.10).

12.3 Liver cancer changes

There was a large decline in overall liver cancer deaths between GBD 2017 and GBD 2019. In GBD 2017, all deaths with ICD-10 code C22.9 (“Malignant neoplasms of liver not specific as primary or secondary”) were mapped to liver cancer. This code, however, does not distinguish between deaths due to cancer from other primary locations that has metastasized to liver and deaths due to primary liver cancer. In GBD 2019, these deaths were instead mapped as garbage codes and redistributed to liver and 13 other cancers (colon and rectum, pancreas, prostate, breast, oesophagus, bladder, kidney, stomach, ovary, uterus, cervix, gallbladder, and testes), each according to the relative occurrence in the dataset of specific ICD codes for these primary cancers.

12.4 Acute hepatitis B changes

There was a large decline in acute hepatitis B deaths between GBD 2017 and GBD 2019. In GBD 2017 and earlier rounds, we estimated deaths due to acute hepatitis A, B, C, and E in natural history models that used incidence estimates from non-fatal hepatitis A, B, C, and E models and case-fatality ratios from hospital data.² The older approach relied on the assumption that case-fatality ratios in hospital data could be applied to all acute hepatitis cases in the community, and employed hospital data from fewer than twenty locations. We modified the modelling strategy for acute hepatitis A, B, C, and E from this natural history model to a CODEm approach to employ direct measures of cause of death, avoid assumptions about case fatality, and better leverage data from more locations. As mentioned in section 12.2, we also redistributed unspecified hepatitis deaths to cirrhosis and acute hepatitis causes in the GBD map through a proportional approach after reviewing codes in multiple causes of death chain in vital registration data.

13 Geographical hierarchies

Table 114. WHO member states by region

Region name	Locations
African Region	Algeria, Angola, Benin, Botswana, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cape Verde, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Chad, Comoros, Congo (Brazzaville), Côte d'Ivoire, DR Congo, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Eswatini, Ethiopia, Gabon, The Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Kenya, Lesotho, Liberia, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mozambique, Namibia, Niger, Nigeria, Rwanda, São Tomé and Príncipe, Senegal, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, South Africa, South Sudan, Togo, Uganda, Tanzania, Zambia, Zimbabwe
Eastern Mediterranean Region	Afghanistan, Bahrain, Djibouti, Egypt, Iran, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libya, Morocco, Oman, Pakistan, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Sudan, Syria, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen
European Region	Albania, Andorra, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Montenegro, Netherlands, North Macedonia, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Moldova, Romania, Russia, San Marino, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Tajikistan, Turkey, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, UK, Uzbekistan
Region of the Americas	Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, The Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Bolivia, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Grenada, Guatemala, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Jamaica, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago, USA, Uruguay, Venezuela
South-East Asia Region	Bangladesh, Bhutan, North Korea, India, Indonesia, Maldives, Myanmar, Nepal, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Timor-Leste
Western Pacific Region	Australia, Brunei, Cambodia, China, Cook Islands, Fiji, Japan, Kiribati, Laos, Malaysia, Marshall Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Mongolia, Nauru, New Zealand, Niue, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, South Korea, Samoa, Singapore, Solomon Islands, Tonga, Tuvalu, Vanuatu, Vietnam

Table 125. Locations by Socio-demographic Index (SDI) quintiles

Region Name	Locations
Low SDI	Addis Ababa, Afar, Afghanistan, Amhara, Balochistan, Bauchi, Benin, Benishangul-Gumuz, Bihar, Rural, Borno, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Central African Republic, Chad, Comoros, Côte d'Ivoire, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Dire Dawa, Eritrea, Gambella, Gambia, Gilgit-Baltistan, Gombe, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Haiti, Harari,

	Jharkhand, Rural, Jigawa, Kano, Katsina, Kebbi, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Liberia, Madagascar, Madhya Pradesh, Rural, Malawi, Mali, Maranhao, Mozambique, Nepal, Niger, Niger, Oromia, Papua New Guinea, Rwanda, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Sindh, Sokoto, Solomon Islands, Somali, Somalia, South Sudan, Southern Nations, Nationalities, and Peoples, Tanzania, Taraba, Tigray, Togo, Uganda, Yemen, Yobe, Zamfara
Low-middle SDI	Acre, Adamawa, Alagoas, Amazonas, Andhra Pradesh, Rural, Angola, Arunachal Pradesh, Rural, Assam, Rural, Azad Jammu & Kashmir, Bahia, Bangladesh, Baringo, Belize, Benue, Bhutan, Bihar, Urban, Bolivia, Bomet, Bungoma, Busia, Cabo Verde, Cambodia, Cameroon, Ceara, Chhattisgarh, Rural, Congo, Cross River, North Korea, Djibouti, Dominican Republic, East Nusa Tenggara, Ebonyi, El Salvador, Elgeyo-Marakwet, Embu, Eswatini, Gansu, Garissa, Ghana, Gorontalo, Guatemala, Guizhou, Gujarat, Rural, Haryana, Rural, HomaBay, Honduras, Isiolo, Jammu and Kashmir, Rural, Kaduna, Kajiado, Kakamega, Karnataka, Rural, Kericho, Kiambu, Kilifi, Kiribati, Kirinyaga, Kisii, Kisumu, Kitui, Kogi, Kwale, Kwara, Kyrgyzstan, Laikipia, Lamu, Laos, Lesotho, Machakos, Maharashtra, Rural, Makueni, Maldives, Maluku, Mandera, Manipur, Rural, Marsabit, Marshall Islands, Mauritania, Meghalaya, Rural, Meru, Federated States of Micronesia, Migori, Mizoram, Rural, Mombasa, Mongolia, Morocco, Murang'a, Myanmar, Nagaland, Rural, Nairobi, Nakuru, Nandi, Narok, Nasarawa, Nicaragua, North Maluku, Nyamira, Nyandarua, Nyeri, Odisha, Rural, Ogun, Palestine, Para, Paraiba, Pernambuco, Piaui, Plateau, Punjab, Punjab, Rural, Rajasthan, Rural, Rio Grande do Norte, Rondonia, Samburu, São Tomé and Príncipe, Sergipe, Siaya, Sikkim, Rural, Sudan, TaitaTaveta, Tajikistan, Tamil Nadu, Rural, TanaRiver, Telangana, Rural, TharakaNithi, Tibet, Timor-Leste, Tocantins, TransNzoia, Tripura, Rural, Turkana, Tuvalu, UasinGishu, Union Territories other than Delhi, Rural, Uttar Pradesh, Rural, Uttarakhand, Rural, Vanuatu, Venezuela, Vihiga, Wajir, West Bengal, Rural, West Kalimantan, West Nusa Tenggara, West Sulawesi, WestPokot, Yunnan, Zambia, Zimbabwe
Middle SDI	Abia, Abra, Aceh, Aguascalientes, Agusan Del Norte, Agusan Del Sur, Aklan, Akwa Ibom, Albania, Albay, Alborz, Algeria, Amapa, Anambra, Andhra Pradesh, Urban, Anhui, Antique, Apayao, Ardebil, Armenia, Arunachal Pradesh, Urban, Assam, Urban, Aurora, Azerbaijan, Baja California, Baja California Sur, Bali, Bangka-Belitung Islands, Banten, Basilan, Bataan, Batanes, Batangas, Bayelsa, Bengkulu, Benguet, Biliran, Bohol, Botswana, Bukidnon, Bulacan, Bushehr, Cagayan, Camarines Norte, Camarines Sur, Camiguin, Campeche, Capiz, Catanduanes, Cavite, Cebu, Central Java, Central Kalimantan, Central Sulawesi, Chahar Mahaal and Bakhtiari, Chhattisgarh, Urban, Chiapas, Chihuahua, Chongqing, Coahuila, Colima, Colombia, Compostela Valley, Costa Rica, Cotabato (North Cotabato), Cuba, Davao Del Norte, Davao Del Sur, Davao Occidental, Davao Oriental, Delhi, Rural, Delta, Dinagat Islands, Durango, East Azarbayegan, East Java, Eastern Cape, Eastern Samar, Ecuador, Edo, Egypt, Ekiti, Enugu, Equatorial Guinea, Espirito Santo, Fars, FCT (Abuja), Fiji, Free State, Fujian, Gabon, Gauteng, Gilan, Goa, Rural, Goias, Golestan, Grenada, Guanajuato, Guangxi, Guerrero, Guimaras, Gujarat, Urban, Guyana, Hainan, Hamadan, Haryana, Urban, Hebei, Heilongjiang, Henan, Hidalgo, Himachal Pradesh, Rural, Hormozgan, Hubei, Hunan, Ifugao, Ilam, Ilocos Norte, Ilocos Sur, Iloilo, Imo, Iraq, Isabela, Isfahan, Islamabad Capital Territory, Jalisco, Jamaica, Jambi, Jammu and Kashmir, Urban,

	<p>Jharkhand, Urban, Jiangxi, Kalinga, Karnataka, Urban, Kerala, Rural, Kerala, Urban, Kerman, Kermanshah, Khorasan-e-Razavi, Khuzestan, Kohgiluyeh and Boyer-Ahmad, Kurdistan, KwaZulu-Natal, La Union, Laguna, Lampung, Lanao Del Norte, Lanao Del Sur, Leyte, Limpopo, Lorestan, Madhya Pradesh, Urban, Maguindanao, Manipur, Urban, Marinduque, Markazi, Masbate, Mato Grosso, Mato Grosso do Sul, Mazandaran, Meghalaya, Urban, Mexico, Mexico City, Michoacan de Ocampo, Minas Gerais, Misamis Occidental, Misamis Oriental, Mizoram, Urban, Morelos, Mountain Province, Mpumalanga, Nagaland, Urban, Namibia, National Capital Region, Nauru, Nayarit, Negros Occidental, Negros Oriental, Ningxia, North Khorasan, North Sulawesi, North Sumatra, Northern Cape, Northern Samar, North-West, Nueva Ecija, Nueva Vizcaya, Nuevo Leon, Oaxaca, Occidental Mindoro, Odisha, Urban, Ondo, Oriental Mindoro, Osun, Oyo, Palawan, Pampanga, Panama, Pangasinan, Papua, Paraguay, Parana, Peru, Puebla, Punjab, Urban, Qazvin, Qinghai, Qom, Queretaro, Quezon, Quintana Roo, Quirino, Rajasthan, Urban, Rio Grande do Sul, Rivers, Rizal, Romblon, Roraima, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Samar (Western Samar), Samoa, San Luis Potosi, Sarangani, Semnan, Shanxi, Sichuan, Sinaloa, Siquijor, Sistan and Baluchistan, Sonora, Sorsogon, South Cotabato, South Kalimantan, South Khorasan, South Sulawesi, South Sumatra, Southeast Sulawesi, Southern Leyte, Sultan Kudarat, Sulu, Surigao Del Norte, Surigao Del Sur, Suriname, Syrian Arab Republic, Tabasco, Tamaulipas, Tamil Nadu, Urban, Tarlac, Tawi-Tawi, Tehran, Telangana, Urban, Thailand, Tlaxcala, Tokelau, Tonga, Tripura, Urban, Tunisia, Turkmenistan, Uttar Pradesh, Urban, Uzbekistan, Veracruz de Ignacio de la Llave, Vietnam, West Azarbayejan, West Bengal, Urban, West Java, West Papua, West Sumatra, Western Cape, Xinjiang, Yazd, Yogyakarta, Yucatan, Zacatecas, Zambales, Zamboanga Del Norte, Zamboanga Del Sur, Zamboanga Sibugay, Zanzan</p>
High-middle SDI	<p>Abruzzo, Altai kray, American Samoa, Amur oblast, Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Arkhangelsk oblast without Nenets autonomous district, Astrakhan oblast, Bahamas, Bahrain, Barbados, Basilicata, Belarus, Belgorod oblast, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bryansk oblast, Bulgaria, Calabria, Campania, Chechen Republic, Chelyabinsk oblast, Chile, Chukchi autonomous area, Chuvash Republic, Cook Islands, Croatia, Delhi, Urban, Distrito Federal, Dolnoslaskie, Dominica, East Kalimantan, Emilia-Romagna, Friuli-Venezia Giulia, Georgia, Goa, Urban, Greece, Greenland, Guangdong, Himachal Pradesh, Urban, Hungary, Inner Mongolia, Irkutsk oblast, Israel, Ivanovo oblast, Jakarta, Jewish autonomous oblast, Jiangsu, Jilin, Jordan, Kabardian-Balkar Republic, Kaliningrad oblast, Kaluga oblast, Kamchatka kray, Karachay-Cherkassian Republic, Kazakhstan, Kemerovo oblast, Khabarovsk kray, Khanty-Mansi autonomous area, Kirov oblast, Komi Republic, Kostroma oblast, Krasnodar kray, Krasnoyarsk kray, Kujawsko-Pomorskie, Kurgan oblast, Kursk oblast, Lagos, Lazio, Lebanon, Leningrad oblast, Liaoning, Libya, Liguria, Lipetzk oblast, Lodzkie, Lombardia, Lubelskie, Lubuskie, Magadan oblast, Maharashtra, Urban, Malaysia, Malopolskie, Malta, Marche, Mauritius, Mazowieckie, Mississippi, Molise, Montenegro, Moscow City, Moscow oblast, Murmansk oblast, Nenets autonomous district, Niue, Nizhny Novgorod oblast, North Kalimantan, North Macedonia, Northern Mariana Islands, Novgorod oblast, Novosibirsk oblast, Oman, Omsk oblast, Opolskie, Orenburg oblast, Oryol oblast, Palau, Penza oblast, Perm kray, Piemonte, Podkarpackie, Podlaskie, Pomorskie, Portugal, Primorsky kray, Provincia autonoma di Bolzano, Provincia</p>

	<p>autonoma di Trento, Pskov oblast, Puglia, Republic of Adygeya, Republic of Altai, Republic of Bashkortostan, Republic of Buryatia, Republic of Crimea, Republic of Dagestan, Republic of Ingushetia, Republic of Kalmykia, Republic of Karelia, Republic of Khakasia, Republic of Mariy El, Republic of Moldova, Republic of Mordovia, Republic of North Ossetia-Alania, Republic of Sakha (Yakutia), Republic of Tatarstan, Republic of Tuva, Riau, Riau Islands, Rio de Janeiro, Romania, Rostov oblast, Ryazan oblast, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Sakhalin oblast, Samara oblast, Sankt-Petersburg, Santa Catarina, Sao Paulo, Saratov oblast, Sardegna, Serbia, Sevastopol, Seychelles, Shaanxi, Shandong, Shanghai, Sicilia, Sikkim, Urban, Slaskie, Smolensk oblast, Spain, Sri Lanka, Stavropol kray, Sverdlovsk oblast, Swietokrzyskie, Tambov oblast, Tianjin, Tomsk oblast, Toscana, Trinidad and Tobago, Tula oblast, Turkey, Tver oblast, Tyumen oblast without autonomous areas, Udmurt Republic, Ukraine (without Crimea & Sevastopol), Ulyanovsk oblast, Umbria, Union Territories other than Delhi, Urban, United States Virgin Islands, Uruguay, Uttarakhand, Urban, Valle d'Aosta, Veneto, Vladimir oblast, Volgograd oblast, Vologda oblast, Voronezh oblast, Warminsko-Mazurskie, Wielkopolskie, Yamalo-Nenets autonomous area, Yaroslavl oblast, Zabaikalsk kray, Zachodniopomorskie, Zhejiang</p>
<p>High SDI</p>	<p>Aichi, Akershus, Akita, Alabama, Alaska, Andorra, Aomori, Arizona, Arkansas, Aust-Agder, Australia, Austria, Barking and Dagenham, Barnet, Barnsley, Bath and North East Somerset, Bedford, Beijing, Belgium, Bermuda, Bexley, Birmingham, Blackburn with Darwen, Blackpool, Bolton, Bournemouth, Bracknell Forest, Bradford, Brent, Brighton and Hove, Bristol, City of, Bromley, Brunei Darussalam, Buckinghamshire, Bury, Buskerud, Calderdale, California, Cambridgeshire, Camden, Canada, Central Bedfordshire, Cheshire East, Cheshire West and Chester, Chiba, Colorado, Connecticut, Cornwall, County Durham, Coventry, Croydon, Cumbria, Cyprus, Czechia, Darlington, Delaware, Denmark, Derby, Derbyshire, Devon, District of Columbia, Doncaster, Dorset, Dudley, Ealing, East Riding of Yorkshire, East Sussex, Ehime, Enfield, Essex, Estonia, Finland, Finnmark, Florida, France, Fukui, Fukuoka, Fukushima, Gateshead, Georgia, Germany, Gifu, Gloucestershire, Greenwich, Guam, Gunma, Hackney, Halton, Hammersmith and Fulham, Hampshire, Haringey, Harrow, Hartlepool, Havering, Hawaii, Hedmark, Herefordshire, County of, Hertfordshire, Hillingdon, Hiroshima, Hokkaido, Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of China, Hordaland, Hounslow, Hyogo, Ibaraki, Iceland, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Ireland, Ishikawa, Isle of Wight, Islington, Iwate, Kagawa, Kagoshima, Kanagawa, Kansas, Kensington and Chelsea, Kent, Kentucky, Kingston upon Hull, City of, Kingston upon Thames, Kirklees, Knowsley, Kochi, Kumamoto, Kuwait, Kyoto, Lambeth, Lancashire, Latvia, Leeds, Leicester, Leicestershire, Lewisham, Lincolnshire, Lithuania, Liverpool, Louisiana, Luton, Luxembourg, Macao Special Administrative Region of China, Maine, Manchester, Maryland, Massachusetts, Medway, Merton, Michigan, Middlesbrough, Mie, Milton Keynes, Minnesota, Missouri, Miyagi, Miyazaki, Monaco, Montana, More og Romsdal, Nagano, Nagasaki, Nara, Nebraska, Netherlands, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, New Zealand Maori population, New Zealand non-Maori population, Newcastle upon Tyne, Newham, Niigata, Nordland, Norfolk, North Carolina, North Dakota, North East Lincolnshire, North Lincolnshire, North Somerset, North Tyneside, North Yorkshire, Northamptonshire, Northern Ireland, Northumberland, Nottingham, Nottinghamshire,</p>

	Ohio, Oita, Okayama, Okinawa, Oklahoma, Oldham, Oppland, Oregon, Osaka, Oslo, Ostfold, Oxfordshire, Pennsylvania, Peterborough, Plymouth, Poole, Portsmouth, Puerto Rico, Qatar, Reading, Redbridge, Redcar and Cleveland, Republic of Korea, Rhode Island, Richmond upon Thames, Rochdale, Rogaland, Rotherham, Rutland, Saga, Saitama, Salford, San Marino, Sandwell, Saudi Arabia, Scotland, Sefton, Sheffield, Shiga, Shimane, Shizuoka, Shropshire, Singapore, Slough, Slovakia, Slovenia, Sogn og Fjordane, Solihull, Somerset, South Carolina, South Dakota, South Gloucestershire, South Tyneside, Southampton, Southend-on-Sea, Southwark, St Helens, Staffordshire, Stockholm, Stockport, Stockton-on-Tees, Stoke-on-Trent, Suffolk, Sunderland, Surrey, Sutton, Sweden except Stockholm, Swindon, Switzerland, Taiwan (Province of China), Tameside, Telemark, Telford and Wrekin, Tennessee, Texas, Thurrock, Tochigi, Tokushima, Tokyo, Torbay, Tottori, Tower Hamlets, Toyama, Trafford, Troms, Trondelag, United Arab Emirates, Utah, Vermont, Vest-Agder, Vestfold, Virginia, Wakayama, Wakefield, Wales, Walsall, Waltham Forest, Wandsworth, Warrington, Warwickshire, Washington, West Berkshire, West Sussex, West Virginia, Westminster, Wigan, Wiltshire, Windsor and Maidenhead, Wirral, Wisconsin, Wokingham, Wolverhampton, Worcestershire, Wyoming, Yamagata, Yamaguchi, Yamanashi, York
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14 GATHER checklist

Table 136. GATHER checklist

Item #	Checklist item	Reported on page #
Objectives and funding		
1	Define the indicator(s), populations (including age, sex, and geographic entities), and time period(s) for which estimates were made.	Main text (Introduction, pg. 6-8)
2	List the funding sources for the work.	Main text (Methods; pg. 15)
Data Inputs		
<i>For all data inputs from multiple sources that are synthesized as part of the study:</i>		
3	Describe how the data were identified and how the data were accessed.	Main text (Methods; pg. 9-15) and Appendix (pg. 6-7, 9, 17, 19-20, 34, 36-37, 40-41, 51, 58)
4	Specify the inclusion and exclusion criteria. Identify all ad-hoc exclusions.	Appendix (pg. 6-7, 9, 13-14, 17, 19-20, 25-26, 36-37, 40, 42, 51, 58, 65)
5	Provide information on all included data sources and their main characteristics. For each data source used, report reference information or contact name/institution, population represented, data collection method, year(s) of data collection, sex and age range, diagnostic criteria or measurement method, and sample size, as relevant.	Online data citation tools
6	Identify and describe any categories of input data that have potentially important biases (e.g., based on characteristics listed in item 5).	Appendix (pg. 7, 9-11, 17, 19, 25-28, 36-37, 51)
<i>For data inputs that contribute to the analysis but were not synthesized as part of the study:</i>		
7	Describe and give sources for any other data inputs.	Online data citation tools http://ghdx.healthdata.org/gbd-2019
<i>For all data inputs:</i>		
8	Provide all data inputs in a file format from which data can be efficiently extracted (e.g., a spreadsheet rather than a PDF), including all relevant meta-data listed in item 5. For any data inputs that cannot be shared because of ethical or legal reasons, such as third-party ownership, provide a contact name or the name of the institution that retains the right to the data.	Online data visualization tools, data query tools, and the Global Health Data Exchange http://ghdx.healthdata.org
Data analysis		
9	Provide a conceptual overview of the data analysis method. A diagram may be helpful.	Main text (Methods; pg. 9) and Appendix (Figures 1, 4, 13, 16, 19, 23)

10	Provide a detailed description of all steps of the analysis, including mathematical formulae. This description should cover, as relevant, data cleaning, data pre-processing, data adjustments and weighting of data sources, and mathematical or statistical model(s).	Main text (Methods; pg. 9–15)
11	Describe how candidate models were evaluated and how the final model(s) were selected.	Appendix (pg. 37)
12	Provide the results of an evaluation of model performance, if done, as well as the results of any relevant sensitivity analysis.	Appendix (pg. 37)
13	Describe methods for calculating uncertainty of the estimates. State which sources of uncertainty were, and were not, accounted for in the uncertainty analysis.	Main text (Methods; pg. 9)
14	State how analytic or statistical source code used to generate estimates can be accessed.	Code is provided in an online repository, http://ghdx.healthdata.org/gbd-2019/code
Results and Discussion		
15	Provide published estimates in a file format from which data can be efficiently extracted.	Visualization tools, data query tools, and the Global Health Data Exchange, http://ghdx.healthdata.org/gbd-2019
16	Report a quantitative measure of the uncertainty of the estimates (e.g. uncertainty intervals).	Main text (Results, Table 1), Appendix (Supplemental Table 2 and 3, pg 114-135), and online data tools
17	Interpret results in light of existing evidence. If updating a previous set of estimates, describe the reasons for changes in estimates.	Main text (Discussion, pg 19-25) and Appendix (pg. 65-66)
18	Discuss limitations of the estimates. Include a discussion of any modelling assumptions or data limitations that affect interpretation of the estimates.	Main text (Discussion, pg 24-26)

15 Supplementary tables and figures

Supplemental Table 1. HBsAg prevalence data sources a) for counterfactual model and b) for vetting of final estimates

Supplemental Table 2. Percentage change in HBsAg prevalence (%) and prevalence counts in all-ages and under 5 years between 1990 and 2019 and 2015 and 2019, by location

Supplemental Table 3. Percentage change in HBV-related death rates and HBV-related death counts in all-ages between 1990 and 2019 and 2015 and 2019 by location

Supplemental Table 4. Achievement in 2019 of WHO-GHSS 2020 death impact target, WHO-GHSS new cases impact target, and under-5 prevalence proxy target, with high probability, by location. High probability is defined by at least 950 out of 1000 draws meeting target.

Supplementary Table 5. Achievement in 2019 of WHO Interim Guidance's absolute mortality rate target and WHO-GHSS under-5 prevalence target for 2030, with high probability, by location. High probability is defined by at least 950 out of 1000 draws.

Supplementary Table 6. Prevalence of HBsAg, all ages, both sexes, as reported by GBD and multiple other estimation groups

Supplemental Figure 1. Hepatitis-related deaths by virus and cause, global, 2019

Supplemental Figure 2. Percentage of HBV-related disability-adjusted life-years (DALYs) in top burden countries (out of total HBV-related DALYs)

Supplemental Figure 3. Map of percentage change in all-age HBV-related death counts (A) and all-age HBV death rates (B) between 2015 and 2019 by country. Percentage change category was achieved with high probability (at least 950 out of 1000 draws of percentage change).

Supplemental Figure 4. Map of percentage change in under-5 HBsAg prevalent counts (A) and under 5 HBsAg seroprevalence (%) (B) between 2015 and 2019 by country. Percentage change category was achieved with high probability (at least 950 out of 1000 draws of percentage change).

Supplemental Figure 5. HBV-related death counts by WHO regions by cause

Supplemental Figure 6. Age-sex-specific death counts of HBV-related diseases in 2019 by global and WHO regions

Supplemental Figure 7. Age-sex-specific death rates per 100,000 of HBV-related diseases in 2019 by global and WHO regions

Supplemental Table 1: HBsAg prevalence data sources a) for counterfactual model and b) for vetting of final estimates

a)

Citation	Location	Year start	Year end
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Valdespino JL, Conde-González CJ, Olaíz-Fernández G, Palma O, Sepúlveda J. Prevalence in Mexico of infection and the carrier state of hepatitis B in adults. <i>Salud Publica Mex</i> 2007; 49(Supl 3): S404-S411. and Juárez-Figueroa LA, Uribe-Salas FJ, Conde-Glez CJ. Heterogeneous distribution of Hepatitis B serological markers in rural areas of Mexico. <i>Salud Publica Mex</i> 2011; 53(Supl 1): S26-S31. Mexico Hepatitis B Prevalence 1999-2000. [Unpublished].	Yucatán	1999	2000
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Madzime S, Adem M, Mahomed K, Woelk GB, Mudzamiri S, Williams MA. Hepatitis B virus infection among pregnant women delivering at Harare Maternity Hospital, Harare Zimbabwe, 1996 to 1997. <i>Cent Afr J Med</i> . 1999; 45(8).	Zimbabwe	1996	1997
Maher CP, Harris MS, Milne A, Johnston A, Stewart A, Waldon JA. Seroepidemiology of hepatitis B infection in children in Vanuatu. Implications for vaccination strategy. <i>Med J Aust</i> . 1991; 154(4): 249-53.	Vanuatu	1989	1989

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Miller WC, Shao JF, Weaver DJ, Shimokura GH, Paul DA, Lallinger GJ. Seroprevalence of viral hepatitis in Tanzanian adults. <i>Trop Med Int Health.</i> 1998; 3(9): 757-63.	United Republic of Tanzania	1992	1992
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Data sources listed in Supplemental Table 1 can be viewed as extracted (“Unadjusted”) and as adjusted per section 3.5 (“Adjusted”), with excluded sources marked in red, on the [GBD Epi Visualization for the HBsAg Seroprevalence – counterfactual model](#)

Supplemental Table 2. Percentage change in HBsAg prevalence (%) and prevalence counts in all ages and under 5 years between 1990 and 2019 and 2015 and 2019, by location

Location Name	HBsAg prevalence (%), all ages		HBsAg prevalence counts, all ages		HBsAg prevalence (%), under 5		HBsAg prevalence counts, under 5	
	1990 to 2019	2015 to 2019	1990 to 2019	2015 to 2019	1990 to 2019	2015 to 2019	1990 to 2019	2015 to 2019
Global	-31.3 (-33.9 to -29.0)	-6.8 (-8.3 to -5.5)	-0.7 (-4.4 to 2.7)	-2.7 (-4.3 to 1.3)	-76.8 (-77.5 to -76.2)	-15.2 (-16.7 to -13.6)	-75.7 (-76.4 to -75.0)	-15.1 (-16.6 to -13.5)
African Region	-36.1 (-37.9 to -34.4)	-9.2 (-10.3 to -8.0)	38.0 (34.0 to 41.6)	0.4 (-0.8 to 1.7)	-65.3 (-66.6 to -64.1)	-9.4 (-11.6 to -7.1)	-37.3 (-39.7 to -35.1)	-5.4 (-7.7 to -3.0)
Eastern Mediterranean Region	-37.4 (-39.5 to -35.2)	-7.3 (-8.9 to -5.5)	20.1 (16.1 to 24.4)	0.0 (-1.8 to 1.9)	-74.3 (-75.1 to -73.2)	-19.3 (-22.2 to -16.5)	-65.6 (-66.7 to -64.2)	-19.6 (-22.5 to -16.8)
European Region	-28.1 (-31.1 to -25.0)	-6.9 (-8.6 to -4.9)	-22.2 (-25.4 to -18.9)	-5.9 (-7.7 to -3.9)	-90.7 (-91.4 to -90.2)	-34.1 (-36.9 to -31.1)	-92.3 (-92.9 to -91.9)	-36.1 (-38.8 to -33.2)
Region of the Americas	-28.8 (-32.8 to -23.8)	-4.7 (-6.9 to -2.5)	0.5 (-5.2 to 7.5)	-1.6 (-3.8 to 0.7)	-89.6 (-90.0 to -89.1)	-6.6 (-9.5 to -3.2)	-89.9 (-90.4 to -89.5)	-9.3 (-12.2 to -6.1)
South-East Asia Region	-24.2 (-27.8 to -21.1)	-4.6 (-7.0 to -2.7)	16.9 (11.4 to 21.7)	-0.5 (-2.9 to 1.5)	-80.0 (-80.7 to -79.2)	-22.9 (-26.1 to -20.1)	-81.6 (-82.3 to -80.9)	-26.7 (-29.8 to -24.1)
Western Pacific Region	-34.3 (-38.2 to -31.0)	-7.6 (-10.1 to -5.3)	-18.6 (-23.4 to -14.5)	-5.5 (-8.0 to -3.1)	-93.6 (-94.0 to -93.3)	-45.0 (-47.0 to -42.9)	-95.1 (-95.3 to -94.8)	-41.7 (-43.8 to -39.4)
Low SDI	-30.6 (-32.5 to -28.7)	-8.6 (-10.0 to -7.4)	48.3 (44.3 to 52.3)	0.7 (-0.7 to 2.2)	-61.9 (-63.4 to -60.4)	-10.1 (-12.6 to -7.7)	-32.5 (-35.3 to -30.0)	-6.5 (-9.0 to -4.0)
Low-middle SDI	-29.1 (-31.8 to -26.2)	-5.9 (-7.7 to -4.4)	10.6 (6.5 to 15.2)	-1.2 (-3.1 to 0.4)	-75.3 (-76.2 to -74.4)	-12.8 (-16.3 to -9.4)	-74.7 (-75.6 to -73.8)	-14.6 (-18.0 to -11.2)
Middle SDI	-39.2 (-42.3 to -36.5)	-8.0 (-9.9 to -5.9)	-15.2 (-19.4 to -11.4)	-4.6 (-6.6 to -2.4)	-89.8 (-90.2 to -89.4)	-35.0 (-36.4 to -33.6)	-90.8 (-91.1 to -90.4)	-35.4 (-36.9 to -34.1)
High-middle SDI	-28.7 (-32.6 to -25.2)	-6.5 (-9.5 to -3.8)	-11.4 (-16.2 to -7.0)	-4.6 (-7.6 to -1.8)	-93.7 (-94.0 to -93.3)	-13.3 (-16.4 to -10.7)	-95.0 (-95.2 to -94.7)	-13.3 (-16.4 to -10.6)
High SDI	-24.3 (-26.7 to -21.7)	-4.0 (-5.6 to -2.6)	-6.6 (-9.7 to -3.5)	-1.8 (-3.4 to 0.3)	-87.7 (-88.3 to -87.2)	-63.0 (-64.4 to -61.4)	-88.8 (-89.4 to -88.3)	-63.8 (-65.1 to -62.2)
Central Europe, eastern Europe, and central Asia	-25.4 (-29.4 to -21.3)	-7.4 (-10.2 to -4.2)	-25.6 (-29.6 to -21.4)	-6.9 (-9.6 to -3.6)	-88.6 (-89.5 to -87.9)	-30.2 (-34.3 to -25.9)	-91.2 (-91.9 to -90.7)	-32.7 (-36.7 to -28.5)
Central Asia	-33.2 (-38.7 to -25.8)	-9.2 (-13.6 to -4.1)	-9.9 (-17.3 to 0.2)	-4.2 (-8.8 to 1.1)	-90.1 (-91.2 to -88.9)	-14.4 (-21.4 to -6.2)	-90.0 (-91.1 to -88.8)	-14.9 (-21.8 to -6.8)
Armenia	-30.5 (-38.0 to -20.6)	-2.8 (-11.8 to 7.5)	-38.5 (-45.1 to -29.8)	-3.9 (-12.8 to 6.2)	-91.7 (-92.9 to -90.3)	-10.3 (-22.8 to 5.7)	-95.5 (-96.2 to -94.8)	-17.6 (-29.1 to -2.9)
Azerbaijan	-17.5 (-25.6 to -7.7)	-3.0 (-11.5 to 8.5)	15.7 (4.3 to 29.4)	0.9 (-8.0 to 12.8)	-78.7 (-81.1 to -76.0)	-3.6 (-15.4 to 8.5)	-82.2 (-84.2 to -79.9)	-11.1 (-22.0 to 0.0)
Georgia	-23.5 (-25.1 to -21.7)	-6.0 (-6.9 to -5.1)	-49.1 (-50.2 to -47.9)	-9.2 (-10.0 to -8.3)	-82.9 (-85.0 to -80.8)	-6.4 (-15.7 to 4.0)	-90.9 (-92.1 to -89.8)	-13.9 (-22.5 to -4.3)
Kazakhstan	-40.0 (-46.6 to -32.0)	-7.4 (-17.9 to 2.8)	-32.6 (-40.0 to -23.6)	-2.2 (-13.3 to 8.6)	-92.5 (-93.7 to -91.0)	-18.1 (-33.2 to 0.7)	-92.5 (-93.8 to -91.1)	-17.7 (-33.0 to 1.0)
Kyrgyzstan	-37.6 (-44.8 to -28.0)	-10.5 (-18.5 to 0.4)	-8.7 (-19.1 to 5.5)	-4.5 (-13.0 to 7.2)	-79.0 (-81.8 to -75.9)	-2.9 (-15.4 to 14.8)	-75.0 (-78.3 to -71.2)	-2.6 (-15.1 to 15.2)

Mongolia	-38.0 (-45.6 to -28.6)	-7.9 (-13.3 to 1.6)	-2.6 (-14.4 to 12.3)	-0.8 (-6.6 to 6.0)	-91.4 (-92.6 to 89.9)	-9.2 (-19.0 to 1.9)	-90.0 (-91.4 to 88.3)	-7.4 (-17.5 to 3.9)
Tajikistan	-39.0 (-45.9 to -32.5)	-11.3 (-19.1 to 2.3)	7.6 (-4.5 to 19.3)	-3.3 (-11.7 to 6.5)	-90.1 (-91.9 to 88.0)	-17.1 (-28.6 to 1.9)	-87.3 (-89.6 to 84.6)	-13.2 (-25.3 to 2.6)
Turkmenistan	-40.1 (-48.0 to -27.3)	-9.3 (-18.9 to 2.5)	-17.8 (-28.6 to 0.3)	-5.2 (-15.1 to 7.3)	-89.6 (-91.4 to 87.1)	-11.3 (-26.9 to 6.0)	-90.3 (-91.9 to 87.9)	-11.1 (-26.8 to 6.2)
Uzbekistan	-39.9 (-46.7 to -30.4)	-11.6 (-18.0 to 4.2)	-3.3 (-14.2 to 11.9)	-6.0 (-12.9 to 1.8)	-92.5 (-93.7 to 91.3)	-19.1 (-28.7 to 7.2)	-92.0 (-93.2 to 90.7)	-19.7 (-29.2 to 7.9)
Central Europe	-37.9 (-40.5 to -35.0)	-5.6 (-7.9 to 3.2)	-42.3 (-44.7 to -39.6)	-6.7 (-9.0 to 4.3)	-87.6 (-88.4 to 86.8)	0.3 (-5.1 to 6.1)	-92.2 (-92.6 to 91.6)	-2.7 (-7.9 to 2.9)
Albania	-35.1 (-42.5 to -25.3)	-6.4 (-12.6 to 1.8)	-46.7 (-52.8 to -38.6)	-8.4 (-14.4 to 0.3)	-94.2 (-95.1 to 93.1)	0.8 (-12.9 to 16.2)	-97.6 (-98.0 to 97.2)	-1.5 (-15.0 to 13.4)
Bosnia and Herzegovina	-17.1 (-23.8 to -7.8)	-3.5 (-10.0 to 4.1)	-39.7 (-44.6 to -33.0)	-9.0 (-15.1 to 1.8)	-73.5 (-76.7 to 69.7)	17.8 (4.0 to 32.3)	-89.1 (-90.4 to 87.6)	4.0 (-8.2 to 16.7)
Bulgaria	-39.5 (-41.6 to -37.3)	-8.4 (-11.1 to -5.9)	-51.7 (-53.3 to -49.9)	-11.1 (-13.7 to 8.6)	-88.8 (-90.3 to 87.2)	-13.5 (-24.0 to 2.8)	-93.5 (-94.3 to 92.5)	-18.0 (-27.9 to 7.8)
Croatia	-35.2 (-39.9 to -30.8)	-7.8 (-13.3 to -2.8)	-43.8 (-47.9 to -40.0)	-9.2 (-14.6 to 4.2)	-91.2 (-92.2 to 90.3)	9.6 (-1.4 to 20.6)	-94.6 (-95.2 to 94.0)	-0.1 (-10.2 to 9.8)
Czech Republic	-26.1 (-33.4 to -17.7)	-6.1 (-14.7 to 3.8)	-23.6 (-31.2 to -14.9)	-5.6 (-14.2 to 4.4)	-93.9 (-94.8 to 93.0)	9.8 (-5.4 to 27.0)	-94.7 (-95.4 to 93.8)	12.8 (-2.8 to 30.4)
Hungary	-8.3 (-14.5 to -2.0)	-1.2 (-6.8 to 5.6)	-14.6 (-20.4 to 8.8)	-2.6 (-8.1 to 4.1)	-16.4 (-28.8 to 2.8)	1.3 (-13.3 to 19.4)	-40.3 (-49.1 to 30.5)	-2.0 (-16.1 to 15.5)
Montenegro	-17.2 (-24.4 to -8.3)	-5.2 (-13.9 to 5.5)	-17.9 (-25.1 to 9.1)	-6.0 (-14.6 to 4.6)	-79.1 (-82.2 to 76.0)	-7.5 (-18.6 to 5.4)	-86.3 (-88.3 to 84.2)	-12.5 (-22.9 to 0.2)
North Macedonia	-19.7 (-26.8 to -11.3)	-4.3 (-13.2 to 6.0)	-14.2 (-21.8 to 5.2)	-3.8 (-12.7 to 6.7)	-85.9 (-87.4 to 83.6)	-0.2 (-11.2 to 15.2)	-90.9 (-91.8 to 89.4)	-2.5 (-13.2 to 12.6)
Poland	-52.0 (-55.4 to -48.6)	-7.1 (-9.7 to 4.3)	-51.7 (-55.0 to -48.3)	-7.2 (-9.8 to 4.4)	-94.5 (-94.8 to 94.1)	-8.2 (-11.1 to 5.5)	-96.3 (-96.5 to 96.1)	-10.3 (-13.1 to 7.6)
Romania	-31.1 (-37.4 to -23.7)	-0.6 (-8.7 to 9.7)	-43.3 (-48.5 to -37.2)	-3.5 (-11.4 to 6.4)	-84.2 (-86.3 to 82.0)	13.5 (-0.7 to 31.6)	-91.7 (-92.8 to 90.5)	9.7 (-4.0 to 27.2)
Serbia	-25.6 (-31.7 to -16.8)	-4.2 (-12.2 to 4.2)	-30.7 (-36.5 to -22.6)	-5.7 (-13.6 to 2.6)	-89.0 (-90.5 to 87.1)	4.3 (-7.7 to 18.1)	-92.3 (-93.4 to 91.0)	-2.2 (-13.5 to 10.8)
Slovakia	-29.3 (-36.1 to -21.2)	-7.0 (-15.1 to 1.7)	-27.2 (-34.3 to -18.9)	-6.8 (-14.8 to 1.9)	-93.3 (-94.2 to 92.3)	12.6 (-5.1 to 29.3)	-95.3 (-95.9 to 94.6)	13.9 (-4.0 to 30.8)
Slovenia	-25.3 (-32.6 to -16.4)	-5.9 (-14.6 to 3.8)	-21.4 (-29.1 to 12.1)	-5.7 (-14.3 to 4.1)	-87.7 (-89.4 to 85.6)	-9.4 (-23.7 to 6.8)	-89.9 (-91.3 to 88.2)	-15.7 (-29.1 to 0.7)
Eastern Europe	-31.3 (-35.0 to -27.7)	-11.1 (-13.6 to 8.3)	-36.3 (-39.8 to -32.9)	-11.6 (-14.1 to 8.8)	-90.9 (-91.5 to 90.3)	-61.7 (-64.9 to 58.6)	-93.5 (-93.9 to 93.0)	-64.0 (-67.0 to 61.0)
Belarus	-36.3 (-43.0 to -28.4)	-9.1 (-17.5 to 0.3)	-42.2 (-48.3 to -35.1)	-9.8 (-18.1 to 0.5)	-95.0 (-95.6 to 94.2)	-1.1 (-15.1 to 18.2)	-96.5 (-97.0 to 96.0)	-4.8 (-18.3 to 13.7)
Estonia	-28.0 (-36.4 to -17.2)	-4.9 (-13.6 to 5.5)	-39.8 (-46.8 to -30.7)	-5.1 (-13.7 to 5.3)	-93.4 (-94.4 to 92.2)	15.5 (-2.9 to 35.2)	-96.2 (-96.8 to 95.5)	12.0 (-5.8 to 31.2)
Latvia	-37.8 (-44.6 to -30.5)	-7.9 (-18.5 to 1.9)	-55.2 (-60.1 to -49.9)	-11.3 (-21.5 to 1.8)	-94.8 (-95.5 to 94.0)	-4.8 (-18.2 to 9.7)	-97.3 (-97.7 to 96.9)	-4.6 (-18.0 to 10.0)
Lithuania	-34.6 (-41.9 to -25.6)	-7.3 (-15.6 to 2.9)	-50.2 (-55.8 to -43.4)	-11.2 (-19.0 to 1.4)	-94.5 (-95.2 to 93.5)	0.7 (-12.1 to 16.3)	-97.2 (-97.6 to 96.7)	-4.3 (-16.5 to 10.5)

Moldova	-20.4 (-27.4 to -12.6)	-1.1 (-9.1 to 6.8)	-34.0 (-39.8 to -27.5)	-3.3 (-11.1 to 4.4)	-66.6 (-70.3 to -61.4)	-4.8 (-19.4 to 9.4)	-86.4 (-87.9 to -84.3)	-16.7 (-29.5 to -4.3)
Russia	-34.3 (-37.6 to -30.9)	-11.8 (-13.9 to -9.8)	-36.2 (-39.4 to -32.9)	-11.5 (-13.7 to -9.5)	-95.4 (-95.6 to -95.2)	2.3 (-0.5 to 5.3)	-96.4 (-96.5 to -96.2)	-2.5 (-5.2 to 0.4)
Ukraine	-22.4 (-28.3 to -16.1)	-9.9 (-15.6 to -3.1)	-35.1 (-40.1 to -29.8)	-12.4 (-17.9 to -5.7)	-80.7 (-82.7 to -78.2)	-71.0 (-74.0 to -67.7)	-89.0 (-90.1 to -87.5)	-74.3 (-77.0 to -71.4)
High income	-25.5 (-28.1 to -22.7)	-4.2 (-5.8 to -2.5)	-11.2 (-14.2 to -7.8)	-2.6 (-4.2 to 0.9)	-86.1 (-86.6 to -85.7)	-66.7 (-68.0 to -65.2)	-87.1 (-87.6 to -86.7)	-67.6 (-68.9 to -66.2)
Australasia	-22.4 (-27.9 to -15.4)	-5.2 (-11.7 to 2.3)	11.2 (3.4 to 21.2)	-0.4 (-7.3 to 7.4)	-91.2 (-92.0 to -90.2)	-9.9 (-17.9 to -0.8)	-89.6 (-90.6 to -88.5)	-8.7 (-16.7 to 0.5)
Australia	-22.4 (-28.2 to -15.0)	-5.8 (-12.7 to 2.2)	13.0 (4.6 to 23.9)	-0.6 (-7.9 to 7.8)	-92.2 (-93.0 to -91.4)	-10.6 (-19.5 to 0.6)	-90.6 (-91.6 to -89.6)	-9.1 (-18.2 to 1.2)
New Zealand	-30.5 (-36.7 to -23.0)	-0.7 (-7.2 to 6.3)	-8.5 (-16.8 to 1.3)	1.5 (-5.2 to 8.6)	-73.0 (-75.2 to -70.6)	-6.3 (-14.6 to 1.7)	-71.6 (-73.9 to -69.0)	-6.7 (-15.0 to 1.2)
High-income Asia Pacific	-21.0 (-24.3 to -17.6)	-2.5 (-5.0 to 0.1)	-14.8 (-18.2 to -11.0)	-2.3 (-4.8 to 0.1)	-91.3 (-91.9 to -90.9)	-88.2 (-88.9 to -87.6)	-93.8 (-94.2 to -93.5)	-89.0 (-89.6 to -88.4)
Brunei	-54.6 (-59.5 to -49.0)	-15.7 (-23.9 to -7.9)	-23.3 (-31.5 to -13.8)	-12.0 (-20.6 to -3.8)	-60.2 (-65.3 to -54.5)	-19.6 (-30.1 to -7.5)	-63.9 (-68.5 to -58.7)	-20.3 (-30.8 to -8.4)
Japan	-7.4 (-11.4 to -3.7)	-0.6 (-3.7 to 2.6)	-6.0 (-10.0 to -2.3)	-1.7 (-4.8 to 1.5)	-93.0 (-93.2 to -92.8)	-92.5 (-92.7 to -92.2)	-94.9 (-95.1 to -94.8)	-93.0 (-93.3 to -92.8)
South Korea	-43.9 (-47.7 to -39.8)	-7.1 (-10.7 to -2.6)	-32.5 (-37.0 to -27.5)	-4.2 (-7.9 to 0.5)	-87.1 (-89.1 to -85.1)	-0.4 (-13.8 to 14.7)	-91.7 (-93.0 to -90.4)	-6.1 (-18.8 to 8.1)
Singapore	-31.3 (-36.6 to -25.9)	1.6 (-3.6 to 7.4)	27.8 (18.0 to 37.8)	4.0 (-1.3 to 10.0)	-76.2 (-79.3 to -71.7)	-4.6 (-14.2 to 7.6)	-66.3 (-70.6 to -59.9)	-4.5 (-14.1 to 7.7)
High-income North America	-27.5 (-31.0 to -23.1)	-5.4 (-7.8 to -2.8)	-5.9 (-10.5 to 0.2)	-3.1 (-5.6 to 0.5)	-72.1 (-73.4 to -70.5)	-10.9 (-15.9 to 4.9)	-72.7 (-74.1 to -71.2)	-12.6 (-17.5 to -6.7)
Canada	-11.1 (-16.1 to -6.2)	-2.4 (-7.8 to 2.7)	19.1 (12.4 to 25.7)	0.8 (-4.7 to 6.0)	-68.2 (-71.3 to -64.7)	-18.8 (-27.7 to 8.0)	-68.2 (-71.3 to -64.7)	-19.9 (-28.7 to 9.3)
Greenland	-5.8 (-16.4 to 7.1)	-1.1 (-10.4 to 8.5)	-4.8 (-15.5 to 8.3)	-1.2 (-10.6 to 8.3)	-9.3 (-24.8 to 10.0)	-1.8 (-16.2 to 10.2)	-34.0 (-45.3 to 20.0)	0.6 (-14.2 to 12.8)
USA	-34.9 (-38.7 to -30.2)	-7.3 (-9.8 to -4.8)	-15.9 (-20.7 to -9.7)	-5.2 (-7.8 to -2.6)	-75.1 (-76.2 to -74.1)	-3.4 (-7.1 to 0.3)	-75.7 (-76.8 to -74.8)	-5.3 (-8.9 to -1.6)
Southern Latin America	-13.0 (-19.7 to -3.4)	-0.5 (-7.0 to 6.0)	17.2 (8.2 to 30.1)	3.3 (-3.4 to 10.1)	-86.6 (-88.4 to -82.7)	7.4 (-6.3 to 26.5)	-87.4 (-89.1 to -83.7)	2.9 (-10.2 to 21.3)
Argentina	-15.8 (-24.0 to -1.8)	-0.9 (-9.4 to 8.4)	14.7 (3.5 to 33.8)	2.9 (-6.0 to 12.5)	-85.2 (-88.0 to -78.3)	10.8 (-4.7 to 38.8)	-85.1 (-87.9 to -78.1)	5.8 (-9.0 to 32.5)
Chile	-7.1 (-15.7 to 2.6)	0.7 (-9.5 to 11.6)	27.3 (15.6 to 40.6)	5.2 (-5.5 to 16.5)	-89.6 (-91.3 to -87.1)	-0.7 (-21.9 to 26.0)	-91.7 (-93.1 to -89.7)	-4.2 (-24.6 to 21.6)
Uruguay	-22.6 (-29.6 to -14.7)	-7.5 (-16.0 to 0.8)	-15.2 (-22.9 to -6.7)	-6.6 (-15.2 to 1.7)	-89.0 (-90.7 to -86.7)	-9.9 (-24.0 to 10.5)	-90.7 (-92.1 to -88.8)	-11.1 (-25.1 to 9.0)
Western Europe	-22.5 (-24.8 to -19.7)	-4.7 (-6.3 to -3.2)	-12.0 (-14.7 to -8.9)	-3.5 (-5.1 to -2.0)	-84.6 (-85.5 to -83.9)	-49.6 (-51.4 to -47.9)	-85.2 (-86.1 to -84.6)	-50.7 (-52.5 to -49.1)
Andorra	-23.5 (-30.9 to -14.6)	-4.2 (-12.5 to 7.2)	17.5 (6.0 to 31.1)	2.2 (-6.7 to 14.3)	-92.9 (-93.9 to -91.5)	-25.4 (-38.7 to -9.8)	-92.9 (-93.9 to -91.5)	-38.2 (-49.2 to -25.2)
Austria	-21.1 (-29.1 to -12.6)	-5.6 (-15.2 to 3.4)	-9.4 (-18.7 to 0.4)	-2.8 (-12.7 to 6.4)	-86.8 (-89.8 to -83.4)	26.0 (2.1 to 54.8)	-87.0 (-90.0 to -83.7)	34.8 (9.3 to 65.6)

	-25.9 (-30.8 to -20.4)	-5.7 (-11.3 to 0.4)	-15.2 (-20.8 to -8.9)	-4.0 (-9.7 to 2.1)	-94.4 (-95.1 to -93.5)	-4.2 (-18.4 to 11.2)	-94.2 (-94.9 to -93.2)	-7.4 (-21.1 to 7.5)
Belgium								
	-40.6 (-42.3 to -39.0)	-6.0 (-8.2 to -4.0)	0.3 (-2.5 to 3.0)	0.1 (-2.2 to 2.3)	-92.5 (-93.4 to -91.5)	-2.6 (-14.2 to 11.9)	-91.3 (-92.3 to -90.2)	4.4 (-8.0 to 20.0)
Cyprus								
	-4.5 (-14.4 to 5.1)	-2.5 (-11.8 to 7.2)	7.8 (-3.5 to 18.5)	-0.3 (-9.8 to 9.7)	-2.9 (-18.7 to 15.1)	-4.3 (-19.0 to 17.3)	3.4 (-13.5 to 22.5)	-1.5 (-16.6 to 20.7)
Denmark								
	-7.7 (-16.8 to 2.7)	-2.1 (-11.0 to 9.3)	2.0 (-8.1 to 13.5)	-1.4 (-10.4 to 10.1)	-6.6 (-20.1 to 12.3)	-4.3 (-17.9 to 16.2)	-22.1 (-33.3 to -6.3)	-14.9 (-27.0 to 3.3)
Finland								
	-21.0 (-23.6 to -17.8)	-4.0 (-6.8 to -1.1)	-9.4 (-12.5 to -5.8)	-2.8 (-5.6 to 0.2)	-88.5 (-89.9 to -87.0)	-27.2 (-36.4 to -17.8)	-89.2 (-90.5 to -87.8)	-31.5 (-40.1 to -22.6)
France								
	-17.4 (-24.4 to -8.6)	-3.5 (-11.0 to 4.4)	-12.3 (-19.7 to -3.0)	-1.2 (-8.8 to 6.9)	-89.4 (-91.1 to -87.2)	-16.2 (-33.6 to 11.8)	-90.7 (-92.2 to -88.8)	-9.7 (-28.5 to 20.4)
Germany								
	-19.1 (-24.3 to -11.7)	-0.8 (-8.0 to 5.7)	-19.5 (-24.7 to -12.1)	-3.1 (-10.2 to 3.2)	-93.5 (-94.2 to -92.7)	-4.2 (-17.7 to 11.4)	-94.7 (-95.3 to -94.1)	-8.8 (-21.6 to 6.0)
Greece								
	-10.0 (-19.8 to 0.8)	-2.7 (-12.2 to 10.3)	22.2 (9.0 to 36.8)	1.8 (-8.2 to 15.3)	-15.4 (-31.3 to 7.1)	-6.8 (-24.9 to 22.2)	-15.4 (-31.3 to 7.1)	-12.8 (-29.8 to 14.3)
Iceland								
	-21.3 (-29.6 to -10.6)	-6.3 (-16.5 to 4.4)	7.3 (-4.0 to 21.9)	-4.4 (-14.8 to 6.6)	-92.0 (-93.4 to -90.3)	-13.1 (-28.9 to 17.9)	-91.2 (-92.7 to -89.3)	-21.1 (-35.4 to 7.2)
Ireland								
	-36.2 (-41.9 to -28.9)	-10.3 (-18.5 to -1.0)	19.8 (9.0 to 33.4)	-3.3 (-12.2 to 6.7)	-90.7 (-91.8 to -89.4)	-2.0 (-13.6 to 15.5)	-83.0 (-84.9 to -80.5)	6.0 (-6.5 to 25.0)
Israel								
	-42.6 (-45.9 to -38.9)	-6.7 (-10.2 to -3.1)	-39.1 (-42.6 to -35.1)	-7.4 (-10.9 to -3.8)	-85.9 (-86.9 to -84.7)	-1.2 (-7.6 to 4.7)	-87.9 (-88.7 to -86.9)	-11.8 (-17.5 to -6.6)
Italy								
	-18.7 (-26.9 to -8.6)	-4.5 (-12.1 to 4.6)	32.0 (18.7 to 48.3)	4.9 (-3.5 to 14.8)	-75.4 (-80.0 to -69.8)	39.9 (19.1 to 60.2)	-65.1 (-71.7 to -57.2)	43.5 (22.1 to 64.3)
Luxembourg								
	-25.4 (-34.3 to -14.4)	-5.2 (-14.6 to 4.7)	-11.6 (-22.2 to 1.4)	-3.9 (-13.4 to 6.2)	-86.0 (-87.9 to -83.4)	-16.6 (-27.3 to 0.5)	-89.3 (-90.7 to -87.2)	-14.4 (-25.4 to 2.2)
Malta								
	-26.7 (-33.7 to -17.9)	-7.4 (-17.6 to 2.2)	-9.5 (-18.2 to 1.3)	-5.7 (-16.0 to 4.1)	-95.2 (-96.0 to -93.9)	1.9 (-14.3 to 24.4)	-93.3 (-94.4 to -91.6)	4.6 (-12.0 to 27.8)
Monaco								
	-7.5 (-14.9 to 1.4)	-6.0 (-14.5 to 2.6)	6.4 (-2.2 to 16.5)	-4.7 (-13.3 to 4.1)	-87.1 (-88.5 to -85.4)	-31.0 (-38.9 to 21.7)	-87.9 (-89.2 to -86.3)	-31.3 (-39.2 to -22.1)
Netherlands								
	-29.2 (-31.9 to -26.4)	-8.2 (-10.6 to -5.6)	-10.8 (-14.2 to -7.3)	-5.0 (-7.5 to -2.3)	-90.3 (-90.7 to -89.8)	-9.4 (-13.8 to 4.7)	-89.7 (-90.1 to -89.1)	-13.3 (-17.5 to -8.8)
Norway								
	-27.9 (-35.0 to -19.5)	-7.6 (-15.9 to 2.5)	-24.2 (-31.7 to -15.5)	-8.4 (-16.6 to 1.6)	-93.6 (-94.7 to -92.3)	-6.1 (-21.7 to 17.4)	-95.4 (-96.2 to -94.5)	-11.1 (-25.8 to 11.3)
Portugal								
	-21.9 (-29.3 to -12.5)	3.1 (-7.2 to 15.2)	9.7 (-0.7 to 23.0)	5.6 (-5.0 to 18.0)	-73.9 (-79.2 to -68.8)	-1.4 (-20.5 to 22.3)	-69.7 (-75.9 to -63.9)	-4.4 (-22.9 to 18.7)
San Marino								
	-28.8 (-35.2 to -21.9)	-7.2 (-13.9 to 0.1)	-15.5 (-23.2 to -7.3)	-8.7 (-15.2 to -1.4)	-92.9 (-94.2 to -91.6)	-7.9 (-22.8 to 12.7)	-93.2 (-94.4 to -91.9)	-17.4 (-30.7 to 1.0)
Spain								
	-6.6 (-11.4 to -0.7)	-2.0 (-7.8 to 3.8)	11.2 (5.4 to 18.2)	1.6 (-4.4 to 7.6)	-72.0 (-75.1 to -68.8)	-41.7 (-47.6 to -35.6)	-70.4 (-73.7 to -67.0)	-40.5 (-46.5 to -34.2)
Sweden								
	-6.5 (-14.8 to 2.2)	-2.5 (-11.8 to 7.7)	19.5 (8.9 to 30.6)	1.5 (-8.2 to 12.1)	-57.8 (-64.7 to -50.0)	-44.2 (-53.3 to -34.4)	-52.5 (-60.3 to -43.7)	-41.5 (-51.1 to -31.3)
Switzerland								
	0.1 (-3.6 to 4.2)	-1.2 (-3.4 to 0.8)	17.1 (12.8 to 21.9)	0.9 (-1.3 to 3.0)	-79.9 (-80.7 to -79.2)	-78.3 (-79.0 to -77.7)	-79.6 (-80.3 to -78.8)	-78.5 (-79.1 to -77.9)
UK								
	-32.4 (-36.6 to -27.1)	-5.0 (-7.4 to -2.6)	1.2 (-5.1 to 9.1)	-1.5 (-4.0 to 1.0)	-90.8 (-91.2 to -90.3)	-5.5 (-8.8 to -1.5)	-91.1 (-91.6 to -90.7)	-8.7 (-11.9 to -4.8)
Latin America and Caribbean								

Andean Latin America	-9.3 (-15.2 to -2.6)	-4.1 (-8.9 to 0.4)	51.0 (41.2 to 62.2)	2.4 (-2.7 to 7.2)	-79.4 (-81.4 to -77.0)	-3.6 (-12.9 to 4.2)	-76.0 (-78.3 to -73.3)	-1.8 (-11.3 to 6.2)
Bolivia	-9.3 (-17.1 to -0.2)	-2.5 (-14.1 to 6.9)	69.7 (55.0 to 86.7)	4.9 (-7.6 to 15.0)	-87.4 (-89.2 to -85.7)	-20.6 (-35.8 to -9.0)	-81.9 (-84.4 to -79.5)	-17.0 (-32.8 to -4.8)
Ecuador	-12.7 (-20.9 to -3.0)	-4.4 (-12.1 to 4.0)	53.2 (38.8 to 70.2)	3.4 (-5.1 to 12.3)	-76.7 (-79.7 to -72.9)	0.5 (-14.5 to 20.1)	-71.3 (-75.0 to -66.6)	3.9 (-11.5 to 24.2)
Peru	-8.1 (-16.5 to 0.6)	-4.6 (-11.1 to 3.2)	43.8 (30.6 to 57.4)	0.9 (-5.9 to 9.2)	-76.5 (-79.6 to -73.0)	1.1 (-12.2 to 15.6)	-75.7 (-78.9 to -72.1)	0.9 (-12.4 to 15.4)
Caribbean	-11.0 (-17.6 to -4.8)	-1.2 (-7.4 to 5.3)	19.0 (10.2 to 27.3)	1.8 (-4.6 to 8.5)	-67.4 (-71.0 to -63.7)	-0.3 (-10.7 to 12.3)	-68.9 (-72.4 to -65.4)	-2.1 (-12.4 to 10.3)
Antigua and Barbuda	-28.4 (-36.1 to -20.3)	-5.5 (-15.1 to 4.0)	4.4 (-6.9 to 16.1)	-4.5 (-14.2 to 5.1)	-90.7 (-92.0 to -89.2)	6.2 (-11.8 to 23.3)	-92.7 (-93.7 to -91.6)	-1.8 (-18.4 to 14.0)
The Bahamas	-21.1 (-28.3 to -10.4)	-4.6 (-13.5 to 5.5)	16.0 (5.5 to 31.7)	-2.5 (-11.5 to 7.9)	-90.5 (-92.0 to -88.9)	-1.1 (-11.8 to 14.0)	-91.8 (-93.1 to -90.4)	-8.7 (-18.6 to 5.3)
Barbados	-20.5 (-29.2 to -9.9)	-1.9 (-10.1 to 8.0)	-6.7 (-17.0 to 5.7)	0.0 (-8.3 to 10.1)	-88.5 (-90.0 to -86.5)	-2.3 (-14.3 to 11.1)	-91.6 (-92.7 to -90.1)	-8.4 (-19.7 to 4.1)
Belize	-33.8 (-41.6 to -25.3)	2.1 (-8.4 to 15.0)	46.0 (28.9 to 64.8)	11.6 (0.1 to 25.7)	-87.0 (-88.9 to -85.1)	-15.8 (-26.8 to -2.8)	-82.9 (-85.4 to -80.3)	-14.1 (-25.4 to -0.8)
Bermuda	-6.4 (-14.3 to 2.8)	-0.7 (-10.0 to 10.7)	0.9 (-7.6 to 10.7)	-2.0 (-11.2 to 9.2)	-13.0 (-25.8 to 2.8)	-3.7 (-15.8 to 10.0)	-47.0 (-54.8 to -37.4)	-15.8 (-26.3 to -3.8)
Cuba	-28.7 (-36.4 to -20.6)	2.1 (-6.0 to 11.8)	-25.3 (-33.3 to -16.8)	1.3 (-6.7 to 10.9)	-49.7 (-57.0 to -40.4)	-2.3 (-17.5 to 16.1)	-68.4 (-73.0 to -62.6)	-12.8 (-26.4 to 3.6)
Dominica	-18.3 (-26.6 to -8.6)	-5.7 (-15.1 to 3.7)	-24.2 (-31.9 to -15.2)	-6.4 (-15.7 to 3.0)	-90.3 (-91.7 to -88.8)	7.8 (-8.7 to 26.8)	-95.0 (-95.8 to -94.3)	0.5 (-14.9 to 18.1)
Dominican Republic	-33.2 (-40.0 to -25.6)	-7.8 (-14.8 to 0.2)	0.9 (-9.4 to 12.4)	-3.5 (-10.8 to 4.4)	-72.6 (-76.0 to -68.6)	-20.5 (-31.9 to 10.0)	-71.2 (-74.8 to -67.0)	-18.4 (-30.2 to 7.7)
Grenada	-26.6 (-35.6 to -16.9)	2.5 (-7.1 to 11.5)	-11.5 (-22.5 to 0.2)	1.3 (-8.2 to 10.2)	-86.7 (-88.7 to -84.5)	10.0 (-6.3 to 27.7)	-91.2 (-92.6 to -89.7)	2.5 (-12.6 to 19.0)
Guyana	-26.8 (-34.5 to -17.5)	-10.0 (-18.3 to -0.3)	-26.8 (-34.4 to -17.4)	-5.8 (-14.5 to 4.3)	-89.2 (-91.1 to -87.6)	-14.4 (-26.6 to -2.3)	-92.6 (-93.8 to -91.4)	-9.8 (-22.7 to 2.9)
Haiti	-12.8 (-22.6 to -2.0)	-2.6 (-13.7 to 9.4)	70.1 (51.1 to 91.2)	5.7 (-6.3 to 18.8)	-74.8 (-78.9 to -70.7)	4.4 (-10.8 to 23.8)	-63.1 (-69.0 to -57.1)	7.4 (-8.3 to 27.3)
Jamaica	-32.9 (-39.3 to -25.8)	-7.2 (-13.2 to 0.3)	-20.2 (-27.9 to -11.8)	-6.5 (-12.6 to 0.5)	-94.2 (-95.0 to -93.1)	-16.9 (-27.2 to -4.9)	-96.1 (-96.7 to -95.4)	-22.2 (-31.9 to -10.9)
Puerto Rico	-29.3 (-37.9 to -19.2)	-2.2 (-11.9 to 7.5)	-31.1 (-39.4 to -21.2)	-7.1 (-16.4 to 2.1)	-67.2 (-71.0 to -62.4)	1.2 (-12.5 to 21.0)	-86.5 (-88.1 to -84.5)	-25.6 (-35.7 to -11.1)
Saint Kitts and Nevis	-25.3 (-33.9 to -14.7)	-5.1 (-14.3 to 4.1)	7.4 (-4.8 to 22.8)	-1.7 (-11.2 to 7.9)	-92.8 (-93.8 to -91.9)	-13.8 (-26.2 to 3.3)	-94.5 (-95.2 to -93.7)	-18.8 (-30.4 to -2.6)
Saint Lucia	-18.5 (-26.3 to -10.0)	-4.1 (-13.2 to 6.3)	3.6 (-6.3 to 14.4)	-3.0 (-12.3 to 7.5)	-85.5 (-87.8 to -83.3)	40.7 (16.0 to 65.5)	-92.7 (-93.9 to -91.6)	27.6 (5.2 to 50.2)
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	-26.3 (-35.1 to -17.4)	-5.0 (-13.5 to 4.9)	-24.3 (-33.3 to -15.1)	-4.5 (-13.1 to 5.4)	-95.2 (-95.8 to -94.4)	-1.9 (-15.8 to 14.7)	-97.2 (-97.5 to -96.7)	-8.9 (-21.8 to 6.6)
Suriname	-28.4 (-35.1 to -20.7)	-8.2 (-14.3 to 0.9)	6.6 (-3.3 to 18.1)	-6.2 (-12.4 to 1.2)	-93.3 (-94.2 to -92.4)	5.4 (-6.7 to 25.3)	-93.0 (-93.9 to -92.1)	0.1 (-11.3 to 19.0)
Trinidad and Tobago	-19.3 (-29.3 to -9.0)	-4.7 (-12.7 to 4.3)	-6.9 (-18.5 to 4.9)	-3.9 (-11.9 to 5.3)	-82.0 (-85.4 to -78.5)	2.3 (-11.6 to 26.9)	-88.6 (-90.8 to -86.4)	-6.9 (-19.5 to 15.6)

Virgin Islands	-25.3 (-32.5 to -16.1)	-1.7 (-10.4 to 8.5)	-26.7 (-33.7 to -17.7)	-3.6 (-12.1 to 6.4)	-41.4 (-49.6 to -27.9)	7.5 (-7.9 to 32.5)	-65.5 (-70.3 to -57.6)	-1.9 (-16.0 to 20.9)
Central Latin America	-33.3 (-39.5 to -25.9)	-7.2 (-12.3 to -1.6)	1.6 (-7.8 to 12.9)	-4.2 (-9.5 to 1.6)	-85.1 (-86.1 to -83.9)	-11.4 (-17.1 to -4.3)	-85.9 (-86.9 to -84.8)	-14.8 (-20.3 to -8.0)
Colombia	-35.1 (-43.4 to -24.9)	-10.5 (-18.8 to -1.8)	-4.7 (-16.9 to 10.3)	-6.7 (-15.4 to 2.3)	-87.5 (-88.8 to -85.8)	-15.9 (-26.0 to -4.7)	-88.7 (-89.9 to -87.2)	-15.6 (-25.8 to -4.4)
Costa Rica	-26.3 (-34.7 to -15.9)	-0.0 (-9.0 to 10.1)	14.3 (1.4 to 30.6)	2.9 (-6.3 to 13.3)	-95.5 (-96.4 to -94.7)	-19.6 (-31.4 to -4.8)	-96.2 (-96.9 to -95.6)	-22.8 (-34.1 to -8.6)
El Salvador	-41.6 (-49.5 to -32.7)	-9.9 (-18.8 to 1.3)	-30.7 (-40.0 to -20.1)	-8.1 (-17.2 to 3.3)	-89.1 (-90.9 to -87.2)	-4.1 (-16.0 to 9.2)	-91.6 (-93.0 to -90.1)	-6.1 (-17.8 to 6.9)
Guatemala	-27.0 (-34.8 to -18.6)	-0.9 (-10.8 to 10.9)	62.8 (45.4 to 81.5)	7.7 (-3.0 to 20.6)	-79.8 (-82.6 to -76.2)	-1.3 (-17.8 to 18.8)	-72.3 (-76.0 to -67.3)	0.9 (-16.0 to 21.3)
Honduras	-36.2 (-42.6 to -27.8)	-0.4 (-9.7 to 8.9)	33.1 (19.6 to 50.5)	8.8 (-1.4 to 18.9)	-88.0 (-89.5 to -86.0)	-9.2 (-22.4 to 4.3)	-83.6 (-85.5 to -80.7)	-4.2 (-18.1 to 10.1)
Mexico	-39.4 (-42.7 to -36.3)	-5.2 (-7.4 to -2.8)	-11.4 (-16.3 to -6.8)	-1.7 (-4.0 to 0.7)	-82.7 (-84.1 to -81.6)	-19.1 (-22.6 to 15.0)	-84.6 (-85.8 to -83.6)	-22.4 (-25.7 to -18.4)
Nicaragua	-50.6 (-51.9 to -49.1)	-12.2 (-14.0 to -10.2)	-17.2 (-19.5 to -14.8)	-7.4 (-9.2 to -5.3)	-96.4 (-96.5 to -96.2)	-5.5 (-10.0 to 1.0)	-96.5 (-96.6 to -96.3)	-7.1 (-11.5 to -2.5)
Panama	-35.7 (-44.0 to -27.3)	-10.5 (-18.4 to -1.2)	12.0 (-2.4 to 26.6)	-2.7 (-11.3 to 7.5)	-84.0 (-86.5 to -81.3)	-48.6 (-56.1 to -40.3)	-78.5 (-81.9 to -74.9)	-46.4 (-54.2 to -37.7)
Venezuela	-20.5 (-29.7 to -7.6)	-2.6 (-11.6 to 8.9)	18.6 (4.8 to 37.8)	-8.4 (-16.9 to 2.4)	-71.7 (-75.5 to -67.0)	-2.9 (-17.1 to 11.7)	-74.5 (-78.0 to -70.3)	-20.6 (-32.2 to -8.7)
Tropical Latin America	-32.4 (-36.5 to -27.1)	-4.5 (-7.5 to -1.8)	-1.1 (-7.1 to 6.7)	-1.0 (-4.1 to 1.8)	-94.4 (-94.7 to -94.2)	0.1 (-3.5 to 4.1)	-94.8 (-95.1 to -94.6)	-5.0 (-8.4 to -1.2)
Brazil	-32.6 (-36.7 to -27.3)	-4.4 (-7.4 to -1.7)	-1.8 (-7.9 to 5.9)	-1.0 (-4.1 to 1.8)	-94.5 (-94.7 to -94.2)	1.0 (-2.4 to 4.9)	-94.9 (-95.1 to -94.7)	-4.3 (-7.6 to -0.6)
Paraguay	-20.2 (-29.3 to -7.5)	-5.9 (-16.0 to 5.8)	36.7 (21.2 to 58.4)	-0.8 (-11.4 to 11.6)	-92.6 (-93.9 to -91.1)	-17.4 (-28.9 to 2.9)	-92.4 (-93.7 to -90.9)	-18.9 (-30.2 to 1.0)
North Africa and Middle East	-40.8 (-43.2 to -38.6)	-6.8 (-8.3 to -4.9)	4.4 (0.2 to 8.3)	-0.8 (-2.5 to 1.2)	-82.1 (-83.5 to -80.9)	-24.7 (-28.5 to -20.7)	-80.0 (-81.5 to -78.6)	-26.1 (-29.9 to -22.2)
Afghanistan	-30.1 (-36.7 to -22.3)	-8.9 (-15.5 to -1.6)	134.4 (112.0 to 160.4)	3.8 (-3.7 to 12.2)	-72.8 (-76.2 to -68.6)	-30.2 (-37.4 to -21.1)	-10.4 (-21.8 to 3.3)	-21.9 (-30.0 to -11.7)
Algeria	-34.0 (-40.1 to -26.7)	-8.3 (-15.5 to -0.9)	9.2 (-0.9 to 21.3)	-2.5 (-10.2 to 5.3)	-89.9 (-91.3 to -88.6)	-13.7 (-24.3 to -2.7)	-88.4 (-90.0 to -86.9)	-13.0 (-23.7 to -1.9)
Bahrain	-27.9 (-36.1 to -14.8)	-3.3 (-14.0 to 8.2)	104.6 (81.4 to 142.0)	-0.4 (-11.3 to 11.5)	-94.4 (-95.2 to -93.6)	0.1 (-14.2 to 15.2)	-93.7 (-94.6 to -92.8)	-11.3 (-24.0 to 2.1)
Egypt	-34.2 (-37.6 to -29.9)	-8.1 (-13.5 to -3.5)	17.1 (10.9 to 24.7)	-1.7 (-7.4 to 3.3)	-93.3 (-93.8 to -92.8)	-13.2 (-18.9 to -5.2)	-91.5 (-92.2 to -90.8)	-16.6 (-22.1 to -9.0)
Iran	-39.2 (-44.0 to -33.7)	-5.9 (-8.5 to -3.4)	-12.5 (-19.4 to -4.5)	-2.1 (-4.8 to 0.6)	-94.6 (-94.9 to -94.3)	-9.6 (-12.8 to -6.2)	-95.8 (-96.0 to -95.6)	-12.6 (-15.7 to -9.3)
Iraq	-47.8 (-53.7 to -41.7)	-8.1 (-16.7 to 1.9)	24.9 (10.7 to 39.6)	-0.8 (-10.7 to 10.1)	-78.6 (-81.2 to -75.7)	-47.9 (-55.3 to -40.4)	-68.3 (-72.2 to -64.1)	-48.2 (-55.7 to -40.8)
Jordan	-62.7 (-63.8 to -61.4)	-10.6 (-12.5 to -8.4)	15.0 (11.7 to 19.0)	7.2 (4.9 to 9.8)	-90.3 (-90.8 to -89.9)	-7.9 (-12.3 to -3.3)	-81.3 (-82.1 to -80.4)	-0.6 (-5.4 to 4.4)
Kuwait	-41.4 (-48.6 to -32.2)	2.5 (-8.5 to 15.3)	47.6 (29.4 to 70.5)	19.3 (6.5 to 34.2)	-80.3 (-83.1 to -77.1)	-6.2 (-19.3 to 9.5)	-71.9 (-75.9 to -67.4)	-3.4 (-17.0 to 12.7)

Lebanon	-35.9 (-42.1 to -29.2)	-7.4 (-14.9 to 0.5)	1.3 (-8.5 to 11.9)	-4.3 (-12.1 to 3.8)	-80.5 (-83.0 to -77.5)	-12.9 (-23.4 to 0.2)	-79.7 (-82.3 to -76.6)	-19.5 (-29.2 to -7.4)
Libya	-37.0 (-42.8 to -30.3)	3.9 (-3.0 to 11.7)	0.2 (-9.0 to 10.8)	7.5 (0.4 to 15.5)	-92.0 (-93.2 to -90.6)	-7.4 (-19.2 to 6.0)	-95.1 (-95.9 to -94.3)	-17.3 (-27.9 to -5.4)
Morocco	-48.3 (-51.1 to -45.5)	-10.1 (-13.0 to -7.1)	-26.5 (-30.4 to -22.6)	-7.6 (-10.6 to -4.5)	-94.1 (-94.5 to -93.6)	-18.7 (-25.3 to -11.9)	-94.9 (-95.3 to -94.5)	-26.9 (-32.8 to -20.8)
Oman	-53.3 (-58.9 to -46.4)	0.3 (-11.4 to 13.9)	10.2 (-2.9 to 26.5)	11.5 (-1.6 to 26.6)	-60.6 (-64.7 to -56.7)	-8.3 (-15.6 to 0.8)	-50.9 (-56.0 to -46.0)	-3.3 (-10.9 to 6.4)
Palestine	-64.5 (-69.2 to -59.1)	-12.4 (-23.0 to -2.1)	-15.1 (-26.2 to -2.0)	-6.1 (-17.5 to 4.8)	-93.5 (-94.5 to -92.5)	-18.5 (-28.7 to -6.9)	-90.2 (-91.6 to -88.7)	-22.6 (-32.3 to -11.6)
Qatar	-35.8 (-41.8 to -30.5)	-18.3 (-24.9 to -12.3)	313.2 (274.6 to 347.5)	-4.4 (-12.1 to 2.6)	-44.0 (-50.6 to -36.9)	-0.6 (-13.7 to 12.0)	59.5 (40.7 to 79.9)	5.3 (-8.6 to 18.6)
Saudi Arabia	-63.7 (-69.2 to -58.7)	-8.3 (-16.2 to 1.3)	-19.2 (-31.5 to -8.0)	0.9 (-7.8 to 11.5)	-91.2 (-92.9 to -89.3)	-9.0 (-20.6 to 5.6)	-92.0 (-93.6 to -90.3)	-12.4 (-23.6 to -1.7)
Sudan	-50.4 (-54.1 to -46.0)	-10.5 (-14.8 to -6.0)	0.1 (-7.3 to 9.1)	-2.2 (-6.9 to 2.7)	-84.0 (-85.9 to -82.0)	-20.8 (-29.0 to 12.2)	-76.2 (-79.0 to -73.1)	-20.5 (-28.7 to -11.8)
Syria	-54.2 (-56.8 to -50.9)	-4.2 (-6.3 to -2.2)	-48.6 (-51.4 to -44.8)	-8.6 (-10.5 to -6.6)	-81.7 (-84.4 to -78.5)	-47.8 (-54.8 to -39.2)	-90.9 (-92.3 to -89.3)	-55.3 (-61.4 to -48.0)
Tunisia	-48.6 (-52.5 to -43.8)	-0.1 (-5.7 to 6.3)	-29.5 (-34.8 to -23.0)	2.6 (-3.1 to 9.3)	-92.4 (-93.2 to -91.5)	-11.9 (-19.7 to 1.1)	-94.2 (-94.8 to -93.5)	-18.2 (-25.5 to -8.2)
Turkey	-46.0 (-49.2 to -42.7)	-9.2 (-12.8 to -5.3)	-26.5 (-30.9 to -22.0)	-6.9 (-10.6 to -2.9)	-95.2 (-95.8 to -94.6)	-20.1 (-29.0 to 9.7)	-96.9 (-97.3 to -96.5)	-22.8 (-31.4 to -12.8)
United Arab Emirates	-12.2 (-22.0 to -1.0)	20.5 (7.5 to 34.8)	333.3 (285.1 to 388.7)	23.1 (9.8 to 37.6)	-13.8 (-23.5 to 0.4)	3.7 (-10.0 to 18.2)	25.8 (11.7 to 45.4)	-18.4 (-29.1 to -6.9)
Yemen	-47.6 (-51.6 to -43.3)	-4.4 (-10.3 to 2.0)	20.2 (11.1 to 30.1)	4.4 (-2.1 to 11.3)	-79.7 (-81.9 to -77.7)	-26.0 (-33.7 to -17.5)	-68.3 (-71.6 to -65.1)	-29.5 (-36.8 to -21.4)
South Asia	-23.6 (-26.9 to -20.4)	-5.2 (-7.5 to -3.0)	25.6 (20.3 to 30.9)	-0.1 (-2.5 to 2.2)	-78.4 (-79.2 to -77.4)	-21.5 (-24.9 to -18.8)	-78.0 (-78.9 to -77.0)	-24.3 (-27.5 to -21.6)
Bangladesh	-29.3 (-35.0 to -23.5)	-5.6 (-10.7 to 0.7)	3.2 (-5.1 to 11.7)	-1.7 (-7.1 to 4.8)	-92.3 (-93.1 to -91.4)	-17.1 (-24.6 to 7.1)	-94.2 (-94.8 to -93.5)	-21.5 (-28.6 to -12.1)
Bhutan	-54.6 (-57.0 to -49.5)	-11.7 (-14.1 to -8.8)	-44.0 (-47.0 to -37.8)	-12.7 (-15.1 to -9.9)	-96.5 (-96.8 to -96.0)	-8.2 (-16.0 to 2.5)	-97.6 (-97.8 to -97.3)	-17.4 (-24.5 to -7.8)
India	-20.9 (-24.5 to -17.4)	-4.2 (-6.8 to -1.7)	28.6 (22.7 to 34.3)	0.6 (-2.2 to 3.2)	-77.8 (-78.9 to -76.6)	-22.5 (-26.6 to -19.2)	-78.4 (-79.4 to -77.2)	-25.8 (-29.8 to -22.6)
Nepal	-34.2 (-38.8 to -28.7)	-6.9 (-12.0 to -1.2)	2.5 (-4.7 to 11.1)	-3.2 (-8.4 to 2.8)	-86.4 (-87.8 to -84.9)	-11.0 (-19.3 to 0.5)	-87.9 (-89.1 to -86.6)	-13.2 (-21.3 to -2.9)
Pakistan	-37.7 (-41.3 to -33.6)	-11.7 (-15.1 to -8.0)	23.7 (16.5 to 31.8)	-3.8 (-7.5 to 0.2)	-76.6 (-78.1 to -74.8)	-19.1 (-23.1 to -15.1)	-64.4 (-66.6 to -61.6)	-18.6 (-22.6 to -14.5)
Southeast Asia, east Asia, and Oceania	-34.8 (-38.5 to -31.6)	-7.6 (-9.9 to -5.4)	-17.1 (-21.8 to -13.1)	-5.3 (-7.7 to -3.0)	-92.6 (-93.0 to -92.2)	-39.1 (-40.8 to -37.3)	-94.2 (-94.5 to -93.9)	-37.1 (-38.8 to -35.2)
East Asia	-34.0 (-38.0 to -30.3)	-7.2 (-10.0 to -4.7)	-20.6 (-25.5 to -16.3)	-5.4 (-8.3 to -2.8)	-95.4 (-95.7 to -95.2)	-7.7 (-11.5 to 4.2)	-96.8 (-97.0 to -96.6)	0.9 (-3.2 to 4.8)
China	-34.3 (-38.4 to -30.6)	-7.3 (-10.1 to -4.6)	-21.0 (-26.0 to -16.6)	-5.5 (-8.3 to -2.7)	-95.4 (-95.7 to -95.2)	-7.3 (-11.3 to 3.5)	-96.8 (-97.0 to -96.6)	1.9 (-2.4 to 6.1)
North Korea	-27.9 (-37.3 to -14.2)	-5.9 (-16.6 to 7.7)	-10.1 (-21.9 to 6.9)	-4.8 (-15.6 to 9.0)	-94.6 (-95.3 to -93.7)	-18.4 (-28.8 to 6.2)	-96.8 (-97.3 to -96.3)	-23.3 (-33.1 to -11.9)

Taiwan (province of China)	-23.0 (-26.2 to -19.4)	-4.5 (-8.4 to 1.4)	-10.8 (-14.5 to -6.7)	-4.1 (-8.1 to 1.0)	-79.5 (-80.8 to -78.2)	-5.9 (-11.8 to 0.1)	-87.5 (-88.3 to -86.7)	-12.7 (-18.2 to -7.2)
Oceania	-36.5 (-40.4 to -27.0)	-6.5 (-10.0 to 2.0)	30.3 (22.4 to 49.8)	2.8 (-1.1 to 12.1)	-52.7 (-58.3 to -44.0)	8.8 (-7.2 to 45.2)	-11.0 (-21.5 to 5.4)	17.5 (0.2 to 56.7)
American Samoa	-4.9 (-15.0 to 6.8)	-4.2 (-14.1 to 7.8)	9.0 (-2.6 to 22.4)	-5.0 (-14.8 to 6.9)	-8.0 (-21.9 to 8.9)	-2.2 (-16.7 to 14.5)	-36.5 (-46.0 to -24.8)	-8.4 (-21.9 to 7.3)
Cook Islands	-34.7 (-45.0 to -24.4)	-13.0 (-21.7 to -1.4)	-38.3 (-47.9 to -28.5)	-13.2 (-21.9 to -1.6)	-77.3 (-80.6 to -72.5)	-18.0 (-28.7 to -7.1)	-87.1 (-89.0 to -84.4)	-24.4 (-34.2 to -14.4)
Fiji	-49.1 (-57.0 to -36.1)	-17.2 (-24.3 to -6.8)	-38.9 (-48.3 to -23.3)	-15.8 (-23.1 to -5.3)	-76.3 (-80.3 to -70.2)	-20.2 (-31.9 to -5.7)	-77.9 (-81.6 to -72.2)	-23.9 (-35.1 to -10.1)
Guam	-8.3 (-20.6 to 2.0)	-7.9 (-17.4 to 2.1)	14.4 (-0.9 to 27.3)	-6.2 (-15.9 to 3.9)	-12.6 (-27.3 to 1.0)	-8.0 (-20.0 to 5.0)	-14.3 (-28.7 to -0.9)	-8.9 (-20.8 to 4.0)
Kiribati	-28.0 (-39.2 to -10.5)	-11.7 (-21.3 to 3.8)	15.4 (-2.7 to 43.4)	-7.1 (-17.2 to 9.1)	-56.7 (-65.0 to -39.8)	-11.0 (-24.8 to 15.7)	-44.7 (-55.2 to -23.1)	-9.6 (-23.6 to 17.6)
Marshall Islands	-26.4 (-36.2 to -13.9)	-14.6 (-23.3 to -5.8)	-8.6 (-20.7 to 7.0)	-13.0 (-21.9 to -4.0)	-70.4 (-75.0 to -63.4)	-20.1 (-30.0 to -8.5)	-76.3 (-80.0 to -70.7)	-24.5 (-33.8 to -13.5)
Federated States of Micronesia	-37.1 (-43.3 to -28.3)	-8.5 (-16.6 to 0.0)	-38.4 (-44.5 to -29.8)	-9.7 (-17.6 to 1.3)	-30.1 (-38.3 to -16.1)	-4.9 (-15.7 to 10.0)	-59.3 (-64.1 to -51.1)	-11.4 (-21.4 to 2.5)
Nauru	-35.1 (-44.8 to -23.3)	-13.3 (-24.3 to -2.9)	-33.2 (-43.2 to -21.1)	-12.1 (-23.2 to -1.6)	-85.7 (-87.8 to -82.6)	-26.0 (-35.9 to -11.3)	-89.1 (-90.7 to -86.8)	-28.7 (-38.2 to -14.6)
Niue	-39.2 (-47.4 to -30.7)	-15.0 (-22.3 to -5.3)	-56.3 (-62.2 to -50.2)	-13.7 (-21.2 to -3.8)	-46.9 (-55.5 to -37.6)	-16.0 (-29.1 to 0.1)	-75.7 (-79.7 to -71.5)	-18.6 (-31.3 to -3.1)
Northern Mariana Islands	8.7 (-5.2 to 25.3)	-2.6 (-12.1 to 8.5)	1.8 (-11.3 to 17.3)	-10.7 (-19.4 to 0.5)	5.1 (-10.2 to 23.3)	-1.1 (-11.9 to 12.0)	-51.9 (-58.9 to -43.5)	-16.0 (-25.2 to -4.9)
Palau	-26.7 (-36.4 to -7.6)	-8.3 (-18.4 to 3.4)	-14.3 (-25.6 to 8.1)	-7.8 (-17.9 to 3.9)	-54.7 (-61.8 to -42.4)	-26.4 (-37.7 to -12.3)	-73.0 (-77.2 to -65.7)	-39.0 (-48.4 to -27.3)
Papua New Guinea	-38.2 (-41.8 to -28.0)	-5.7 (-9.6 to 3.8)	49.2 (40.6 to 73.9)	5.7 (1.4 to 16.4)	-55.7 (-61.2 to -47.2)	10.4 (-7.1 to 50.0)	0.2 (-12.3 to 19.4)	22.1 (2.7 to 65.8)
Samoa	-16.1 (-24.7 to -4.3)	-11.0 (-20.1 to 1.3)	8.4 (-2.7 to 23.6)	-5.3 (-14.9 to 5.1)	-28.5 (-38.8 to -14.2)	-14.5 (-24.2 to 0.1)	-26.0 (-36.6 to -11.2)	-10.8 (-21.0 to 4.2)
Solomon Islands	-48.2 (-55.6 to -32.1)	-7.5 (-14.8 to 7.5)	-0.3 (-14.5 to 30.8)	-0.6 (-8.5 to 15.5)	-69.9 (-74.3 to -59.9)	-14.7 (-27.0 to 23.6)	-52.8 (-59.7 to -37.0)	-14.0 (-26.4 to 24.6)
Tokelau	-9.3 (-19.6 to 1.0)	-7.7 (-19.8 to 3.8)	-24.1 (-32.8 to -15.5)	-1.3 (-14.3 to 11.0)	-15.1 (-26.0 to -1.4)	-8.4 (-23.0 to 13.9)	-50.0 (-56.4 to -41.9)	-7.5 (-22.3 to 15.0)
Tonga	-50.9 (-56.2 to -42.1)	-10.5 (-19.9 to 3.4)	-48.1 (-53.7 to -38.8)	-12.1 (-21.3 to 1.5)	-56.1 (-62.1 to -47.6)	-8.4 (-25.7 to 14.9)	-59.8 (-65.3 to -52.0)	-14.8 (-30.9 to 6.8)
Tuvalu	-27.8 (-37.7 to -17.1)	-11.4 (-20.9 to -1.4)	-8.9 (-21.4 to 4.7)	-7.7 (-17.5 to 2.8)	-63.8 (-69.6 to -56.7)	-17.8 (-29.2 to 3.5)	-70.9 (-75.5 to -65.1)	-17.4 (-28.8 to -3.0)
Vanuatu	-41.3 (-47.5 to -34.8)	-12.3 (-22.3 to -3.6)	14.2 (2.1 to 26.9)	-5.4 (-16.3 to 4.0)	-71.1 (-74.5 to -66.6)	-7.5 (-21.8 to 8.4)	-58.0 (-63.0 to -51.5)	-6.0 (-20.6 to 10.1)
Southeast Asia	-32.3 (-35.5 to -29.0)	-8.1 (-9.8 to -6.4)	-2.3 (-6.9 to 2.5)	-4.9 (-6.7 to -3.1)	-83.8 (-84.5 to -83.1)	-52.4 (-53.7 to -50.9)	-85.1 (-85.8 to -84.5)	-54.7 (-55.9 to -53.3)
Cambodia	-32.5 (-40.9 to -23.2)	-11.1 (-20.5 to 0.3)	8.0 (-5.5 to 22.9)	-5.6 (-15.7 to 6.4)	-91.2 (-92.3 to -90.0)	-22.1 (-31.8 to 8.9)	-91.8 (-92.8 to -90.7)	-21.6 (-31.4 to -8.3)
Indonesia	-23.1 (-26.7 to -19.5)	-4.1 (-7.0 to 1.5)	7.6 (2.6 to 12.7)	-1.3 (-4.3 to 1.4)	-76.8 (-77.7 to -76.1)	-27.9 (-30.3 to -25.7)	-79.9 (-80.6 to -79.2)	-33.8 (-36.1 to -31.8)

Laos	-26.2 (-33.7 to -18.4)	-8.1 (-16.0 to 0.9)	27.2 (14.3 to 40.7)	-3.1 (-11.4 to 6.4)	-76.7 (-79.9 to -72.8)	-14.1 (-24.5 to 0.6)	-73.1 (-76.8 to -68.6)	-12.8 (-23.5 to 0.9)
Malaysia	-37.3 (-42.9 to -31.9)	-9.0 (-15.1 to -3.0)	11.1 (1.2 to 20.8)	-4.7 (-11.1 to 1.5)	-74.8 (-78.5 to -71.2)	-16.7 (-27.3 to -4.5)	-72.9 (-77.0 to -69.1)	-14.3 (-25.2 to -1.7)
Maldives	-38.7 (-46.6 to -28.2)	0.9 (-9.0 to 11.3)	37.7 (19.9 to 61.3)	15.9 (4.5 to 27.8)	-86.6 (-88.3 to -84.5)	-17.4 (-29.9 to -6.5)	-86.6 (-88.4 to -84.6)	-18.7 (-31.0 to -8.0)
Mauritius	-28.7 (-37.7 to -20.2)	-5.9 (-16.6 to 5.7)	-17.3 (-27.7 to -7.4)	-5.8 (-16.5 to 5.9)	-81.9 (-84.7 to -78.6)	-10.6 (-27.1 to 6.7)	-88.9 (-90.6 to -86.9)	-15.6 (-31.2 to 0.8)
Myanmar	-25.0 (-31.9 to -17.1)	-6.5 (-15.7 to 1.8)	-0.2 (-9.5 to 10.2)	-3.3 (-12.9 to 5.2)	-71.8 (-75.3 to -67.7)	-19.9 (-30.8 to -7.0)	-75.6 (-78.6 to -72.0)	-22.2 (-32.8 to -9.7)
Philippines	-41.6 (-44.6 to -38.4)	-13.7 (-16.5 to -11.2)	3.5 (-1.8 to 9.1)	-8.0 (-10.9 to -5.3)	-86.8 (-87.3 to -86.4)	-72.7 (-73.4 to -72.1)	-82.3 (-82.9 to -81.7)	-72.2 (-72.9 to -71.5)
Seychelles	-24.3 (-36.2 to -11.9)	-1.3 (-11.2 to 8.3)	5.8 (-10.7 to 23.2)	2.4 (-8.0 to 12.3)	-87.1 (-89.5 to -84.6)	-18.3 (-29.4 to -7.0)	-88.3 (-90.4 to -85.9)	-19.9 (-30.8 to -8.7)
Sri Lanka	-35.2 (-42.7 to -26.7)	-7.9 (-14.7 to -1.7)	-17.8 (-27.3 to -7.0)	-5.7 (-12.6 to 0.8)	-95.2 (-95.8 to -94.5)	-9.6 (-18.7 to 0.9)	-95.9 (-96.4 to -95.3)	-17.8 (-26.1 to -8.3)
Thailand	-30.5 (-36.3 to -25.3)	-4.8 (-9.4 to 0.8)	-14.3 (-21.4 to -8.0)	-3.8 (-8.4 to 1.8)	-88.1 (-89.4 to -86.6)	-9.4 (-18.2 to 0.2)	-93.1 (-93.8 to -92.2)	-20.2 (-28.0 to -11.8)
Timor-Leste	-33.8 (-40.5 to -25.6)	-11.1 (-18.8 to -1.2)	12.9 (1.5 to 26.9)	-3.7 (-12.0 to 7.1)	-71.0 (-75.2 to -66.6)	-9.3 (-21.3 to 4.2)	-64.1 (-69.2 to -58.6)	-5.3 (-17.8 to 8.7)
Vietnam	-41.9 (-45.9 to -37.2)	-8.9 (-11.9 to -5.9)	-17.6 (-23.2 to -10.9)	-6.3 (-9.3 to -3.2)	-90.6 (-91.7 to -89.1)	-13.4 (-23.2 to -1.4)	-92.8 (-93.7 to -91.7)	-20.7 (-29.7 to -9.7)
Sub-Saharan Africa	-36.1 (-37.9 to -34.5)	-9.1 (-10.3 to -8.0)	40.4 (36.5 to 44.0)	0.7 (-0.5 to 2.0)	-65.0 (-66.3 to -63.8)	-9.6 (-11.7 to -7.4)	-35.2 (-37.7 to -33.0)	-5.3 (-7.5 to -3.0)
Central sub-Saharan Africa	-27.4 (-31.5 to -23.7)	-10.5 (-15.2 to -5.5)	72.0 (62.4 to 80.8)	-0.1 (-5.4 to 5.4)	-59.2 (-62.7 to -55.3)	-10.9 (-19.7 to 2.1)	-21.4 (-28.2 to -13.9)	-8.4 (-17.4 to 0.6)
Angola	-35.5 (-40.2 to -30.8)	-8.9 (-14.9 to -1.9)	88.3 (74.6 to 102.2)	4.3 (-2.6 to 12.3)	-54.8 (-61.1 to -48.7)	-9.1 (-21.0 to 4.8)	17.9 (1.4 to 33.7)	-3.9 (-16.5 to 10.8)
Central African Republic	-26.8 (-28.4 to -25.1)	-6.4 (-8.6 to -4.4)	41.4 (38.3 to 44.6)	2.2 (-0.1 to 4.4)	-58.0 (-61.3 to -54.6)	-17.0 (-23.4 to -10.6)	-30.1 (-35.4 to -24.3)	-12.0 (-18.7 to -5.1)
Congo (Brazzaville)	-43.2 (-48.7 to -36.9)	-9.0 (-17.1 to 0.2)	22.4 (10.5 to 36.0)	-0.4 (-9.2 to 9.6)	-75.3 (-78.6 to -71.9)	-7.4 (-19.9 to 6.8)	-59.9 (-65.4 to -54.4)	-10.3 (-22.4 to 3.4)
DR Congo	-23.7 (-30.3 to -15.7)	-13.7 (-20.4 to -6.5)	73.4 (58.3 to 91.5)	-4.2 (-11.6 to 3.8)	-71.3 (-75.0 to -66.7)	-17.3 (-28.2 to -5.9)	-48.5 (-55.0 to -40.1)	-15.7 (-26.8 to -4.1)
Equatorial Guinea	-42.8 (-47.3 to -37.7)	-8.4 (-14.0 to -2.3)	88.7 (73.8 to 105.5)	3.7 (-2.6 to 10.7)	-72.0 (-75.9 to -67.7)	-42.0 (-48.2 to -35.8)	-42.1 (-50.2 to -33.2)	-41.4 (-47.7 to -35.2)
Gabon	-46.8 (-50.5 to -42.5)	-10.9 (-15.4 to -5.7)	-6.1 (-12.6 to 1.5)	-4.9 (-9.8 to 0.6)	-84.2 (-86.2 to -81.9)	-17.5 (-27.7 to -7.2)	-81.0 (-83.4 to -78.2)	-17.4 (-27.7 to -7.2)
Eastern sub-Saharan Africa	-38.0 (-40.6 to -35.5)	-9.9 (-12.0 to -8.2)	34.2 (28.7 to 39.7)	-0.3 (-2.5 to 1.7)	-78.7 (-79.7 to -77.6)	-17.0 (-20.1 to -14.2)	-62.0 (-63.9 to -60.2)	-13.1 (-16.3 to -10.2)
Burundi	-46.2 (-48.6 to -43.6)	-14.3 (-16.0 to -12.6)	15.2 (10.2 to 20.9)	-0.7 (-2.6 to 1.3)	-92.6 (-93.5 to -91.5)	-4.4 (-15.5 to 7.3)	-85.9 (-87.6 to -83.8)	8.7 (-3.9 to 22.0)
Comoros	-28.2 (-35.7 to -19.2)	-8.2 (-16.6 to 1.8)	10.2 (-1.3 to 24.0)	-3.7 (-12.6 to 6.7)	-83.3 (-85.5 to -81.1)	-25.4 (-35.3 to -12.6)	-84.1 (-86.3 to -82.0)	-28.3 (-37.8 to -16.0)
Djibouti	-21.0 (-29.8 to -10.6)	-8.4 (-18.0 to 2.0)	95.4 (73.8 to 121.2)	2.0 (-8.7 to 13.7)	-59.8 (-65.9 to -51.0)	-11.8 (-25.2 to 6.2)	-29.6 (-40.4 to -14.3)	-12.2 (-25.5 to 5.8)

Eritrea	-45.1 (-51.1 to -37.5)	-15.7 (-24.6 to -6.7)	22.7 (9.4 to 39.7)	-8.3 (-18.0 to 1.6)	-91.7 (-92.8 to -90.6)	-19.0 (-27.7 to -8.3)	-86.2 (-88.0 to -84.4)	-17.5 (-26.4 to -6.7)
Ethiopia	-29.8 (-33.0 to -26.2)	-2.1 (-5.8 to 1.8)	46.9 (40.3 to 54.4)	8.0 (3.9 to 12.2)	-64.0 (-65.8 to -62.1)	-11.0 (-15.8 to -5.9)	-39.0 (-42.1 to -35.8)	-6.4 (-11.4 to -1.0)
Kenya	-25.5 (-29.2 to -21.4)	-7.4 (-9.4 to -5.6)	61.4 (53.4 to 70.1)	1.1 (-1.0 to 3.1)	-71.2 (-72.1 to -70.0)	12.0 (9.0 to 16.7)	-57.5 (-58.9 to -55.7)	11.9 (9.0 to 16.7)
Madagascar	-41.6 (-46.6 to -35.5)	-12.9 (-19.5 to -5.8)	30.5 (19.2 to 44.0)	-3.7 (-11.1 to 4.1)	-83.4 (-85.5 to -80.6)	-19.7 (-31.0 to -7.8)	-70.2 (-74.1 to -65.2)	-16.9 (-28.6 to -4.6)
Malawi	-31.9 (-39.0 to -24.5)	-13.4 (-22.0 to -3.6)	31.4 (17.7 to 45.7)	-3.3 (-13.0 to 7.6)	-81.1 (-83.8 to -78.1)	-0.0 (-13.4 to 20.7)	-72.9 (-76.8 to -68.7)	0.5 (-12.9 to 21.4)
Mozambique	-47.1 (-53.0 to -41.5)	-14.1 (-21.2 to -7.4)	19.6 (6.2 to 32.1)	-3.9 (-11.9 to 3.5)	-92.6 (-93.6 to -91.3)	-52.5 (-58.9 to -46.2)	-83.7 (-86.1 to -81.0)	-49.3 (-56.1 to -42.6)
Rwanda	-44.1 (-49.9 to -36.9)	-14.4 (-21.6 to -6.7)	-1.1 (-11.3 to 11.7)	-6.2 (-14.1 to 2.2)	-93.0 (-93.8 to -92.0)	-15.1 (-25.2 to 0.3)	-91.5 (-92.5 to -90.2)	-14.1 (-24.3 to 1.4)
Somalia	-15.2 (-18.9 to -11.2)	-6.1 (-10.0 to -2.0)	141.4 (130.8 to 152.7)	8.9 (4.3 to 13.7)	-48.3 (-52.2 to -43.9)	-15.2 (-21.5 to -7.9)	48.9 (37.8 to 61.4)	-3.3 (-10.5 to 4.9)
South Sudan	-19.8 (-27.0 to -12.5)	-8.5 (-17.8 to 1.2)	27.1 (15.7 to 38.7)	-7.4 (-16.9 to 2.3)	-56.3 (-61.7 to -49.3)	-15.5 (-27.0 to -2.6)	-34.2 (-42.4 to -23.8)	-17.9 (-29.0 to -5.4)
Uganda	-56.0 (-58.9 to -52.7)	-16.3 (-20.6 to -11.6)	4.4 (-2.5 to 12.3)	-7.2 (-12.0 to -2.0)	-89.0 (-90.3 to -87.5)	-22.7 (-32.5 to -12.6)	-78.3 (-80.8 to -75.4)	-19.1 (-29.4 to -8.6)
Tanzania	-50.0 (-52.3 to -48.1)	-16.1 (-18.0 to -14.2)	9.5 (4.6 to 13.7)	-6.9 (-9.0 to -4.7)	-90.7 (-91.9 to -89.3)	-23.0 (-33.0 to -12.7)	-82.2 (-84.6 to -79.5)	-19.0 (-29.5 to -8.2)
Zambia	-40.4 (-47.0 to -33.6)	-8.1 (-16.2 to 0.5)	36.9 (21.8 to 52.4)	3.9 (-5.2 to 13.7)	-88.9 (-90.2 to -87.4)	-28.8 (-37.1 to -18.8)	-79.4 (-81.8 to -76.6)	-25.1 (-33.8 to -14.5)
Southern sub-Saharan Africa	-46.8 (-49.2 to -44.4)	-5.5 (-7.9 to -3.2)	-20.3 (-24.0 to -16.8)	-1.1 (-3.6 to 1.3)	-76.2 (-77.7 to -74.5)	-1.6 (-7.5 to 4.3)	-73.1 (-74.9 to -71.2)	-3.4 (-9.2 to 2.4)
Botswana	-52.4 (-58.0 to -46.4)	-10.0 (-18.2 to -2.1)	-14.4 (-24.6 to -3.7)	-3.8 (-12.7 to 4.5)	-79.4 (-81.9 to -76.6)	16.7 (-0.9 to 32.3)	-75.0 (-78.0 to -71.6)	15.8 (-1.7 to 31.3)
eSwatini	-54.5 (-59.5 to -49.0)	-12.1 (-19.8 to -4.8)	-35.6 (-42.6 to -27.8)	-9.4 (-17.4 to -2.0)	-86.8 (-88.3 to -85.1)	-0.4 (-13.4 to 14.2)	-87.2 (-88.7 to -85.5)	-4.9 (-17.3 to 9.0)
Lesotho	-40.9 (-48.1 to -33.1)	-10.7 (-18.5 to -1.4)	-31.6 (-39.9 to -22.6)	-8.1 (-16.1 to 1.5)	-93.8 (-94.6 to -92.9)	-47.9 (-54.7 to -37.9)	-95.0 (-95.7 to -94.2)	-49.7 (-56.3 to -40.2)
Namibia	-45.0 (-46.0 to -43.8)	-13.5 (-14.3 to -12.3)	-6.2 (-7.9 to -4.2)	-8.4 (-9.3 to -7.2)	-92.6 (-93.2 to -92.1)	-23.0 (-28.8 to -16.1)	-90.1 (-90.8 to -89.4)	-21.2 (-27.1 to -14.2)
South Africa	-47.9 (-51.3 to -44.6)	-0.3 (-4.1 to 3.9)	-21.3 (-26.5 to -16.4)	3.7 (-0.3 to 8.1)	-70.3 (-72.8 to -67.2)	-0.6 (-7.3 to 6.7)	-67.0 (-69.7 to -63.5)	-3.2 (-9.7 to 3.9)
Zimbabwe	-43.2 (-45.3 to -40.8)	-12.2 (-14.5 to -10.0)	-17.5 (-20.6 to -14.0)	-6.4 (-8.8 to -4.0)	-81.8 (-83.7 to -79.2)	-1.4 (-11.8 to 11.1)	-78.2 (-80.5 to -75.2)	-1.7 (-12.0 to 10.7)
Western sub-Saharan Africa	-37.6 (-39.2 to -36.1)	-9.2 (-10.8 to -7.8)	47.8 (44.1 to 51.3)	1.5 (-0.3 to 3.1)	-60.8 (-62.8 to -59.2)	-8.4 (-11.5 to -5.4)	-20.1 (-24.1 to -16.8)	-2.8 (-6.1 to 0.4)
Benin	-45.7 (-52.1 to -39.1)	-12.4 (-21.7 to -1.5)	41.6 (25.0 to 59.1)	-0.2 (-10.9 to 12.2)	-77.1 (-80.9 to -73.3)	-15.6 (-30.8 to 0.2)	-48.5 (-57.0 to -39.8)	-7.8 (-24.4 to 9.6)
Burkina Faso	-26.4 (-33.5 to -18.2)	-13.1 (-21.4 to -4.3)	74.7 (57.8 to 94.3)	-1.1 (-10.6 to 8.8)	-86.8 (-88.4 to -84.4)	-6.8 (-24.3 to 8.3)	-71.3 (-74.9 to -66.1)	3.8 (-15.7 to 20.6)
Cape Verde	-37.7 (-45.5 to -28.7)	-9.2 (-19.8 to 1.0)	-0.2 (-12.6 to 14.3)	-5.5 (-16.5 to 5.1)	-92.0 (-93.2 to -90.5)	-16.9 (-28.6 to 0.8)	-92.6 (-93.7 to -91.2)	-21.0 (-32.2 to -4.2)

Cameroon	-43.0 (-48.2 to -39.1)	-10.0 (-14.5 to -4.1)	59.6 (45.1 to 70.6)	1.0 (-4.1 to 7.7)	-82.2 (-84.4 to -79.8)	-25.3 (-33.4 to -14.9)	-61.9 (-66.5 to -56.8)	-24.0 (-32.3 to -13.5)
Chad	-25.4 (-34.2 to -15.8)	-9.1 (-17.9 to 5.1)	103.2 (79.1 to 129.4)	5.5 (-4.8 to 21.8)	-46.8 (-57.7 to -36.3)	-10.3 (-22.6 to 9.1)	43.2 (13.8 to 71.5)	2.6 (-11.5 to 24.7)
Côte d'Ivoire	-51.5 (-53.1 to -49.7)	-14.9 (-16.0 to -13.6)	3.8 (0.4 to 7.8)	-7.4 (-8.6 to -6.0)	-88.6 (-89.5 to -87.0)	-30.9 (-36.5 to -20.9)	-80.3 (-81.9 to -77.6)	-29.0 (-34.8 to -18.7)
The Gambia	-59.3 (-60.9 to -57.6)	-2.1 (-3.6 to 0.5)	-7.9 (-11.5 to -3.9)	8.0 (6.3 to 9.8)	-63.4 (-68.5 to -57.5)	-8.5 (-19.1 to 2.7)	-38.1 (-46.7 to -28.2)	-6.9 (-17.7 to 4.5)
Ghana	-46.8 (-50.9 to -42.8)	-13.3 (-19.1 to -7.6)	11.6 (3.1 to 20.1)	-4.9 (-11.2 to 1.4)	-95.1 (-95.8 to -94.3)	-48.8 (-54.5 to -42.6)	-92.7 (-93.7 to -91.5)	-47.4 (-53.2 to -41.0)
Guinea	-31.1 (-38.8 to -20.8)	-11.5 (-21.3 to -2.3)	40.8 (25.1 to 61.9)	-1.6 (-12.6 to 8.5)	-55.1 (-61.6 to -47.9)	-10.2 (-22.3 to 5.3)	-21.0 (-32.4 to -8.3)	-4.2 (-17.1 to 12.3)
Guinea-Bissau	-35.3 (-41.3 to -24.7)	-9.3 (-18.2 to 0.1)	22.0 (10.9 to 42.1)	-1.2 (-10.9 to 8.8)	-72.5 (-76.5 to -67.3)	8.8 (-8.4 to 29.3)	-58.1 (-64.2 to -50.1)	10.4 (-7.1 to 31.1)
Liberia	-29.6 (-36.3 to -21.8)	-8.7 (-17.4 to 1.9)	71.6 (55.2 to 90.7)	-1.7 (-11.1 to 9.7)	-81.2 (-83.8 to -78.3)	-37.4 (-45.1 to -27.4)	-64.0 (-68.9 to -58.4)	-39.8 (-47.2 to -30.1)
Mali	-26.2 (-35.5 to -16.9)	-6.7 (-20.5 to 4.9)	86.5 (62.9 to 110.0)	8.0 (-8.1 to 21.3)	-56.0 (-69.0 to -46.3)	-9.5 (-34.5 to 9.0)	3.6 (-27.0 to 26.5)	3.4 (-25.2 to 24.5)
Mauritania	-42.4 (-43.5 to -41.2)	-7.9 (-9.1 to -6.8)	11.9 (9.7 to 14.3)	-0.4 (-1.7 to 0.8)	-77.6 (-79.8 to -75.4)	-22.8 (-30.6 to -14.4)	-68.8 (-71.8 to -65.6)	-24.1 (-31.8 to -15.8)
Niger	-41.1 (-43.1 to -38.7)	-13.8 (-16.1 to -11.4)	71.1 (65.4 to 77.9)	0.6 (-2.1 to 3.3)	-71.6 (-75.1 to -67.9)	-12.8 (-22.4 to 1.7)	-18.1 (-28.1 to 7.3)	0.2 (-10.8 to 13.0)
Nigeria	-35.1 (-36.7 to -33.5)	-6.6 (-8.5 to -4.6)	54.5 (50.7 to 58.3)	4.2 (2.0 to 6.3)	-44.2 (-46.3 to -41.8)	-5.2 (-8.5 to 1.8)	16.6 (12.3 to 21.6)	-0.5 (-4.0 to 3.0)
São Tomé and Príncipe	-45.6 (-51.9 to -38.7)	-11.0 (-19.7 to -3.0)	-8.0 (-18.6 to 3.5)	-4.9 (-14.2 to 3.5)	-91.1 (-92.5 to -89.4)	-14.0 (-29.9 to 0.9)	-90.0 (-91.6 to -88.1)	-19.3 (-34.2 to -5.3)
Senegal	-42.6 (-49.1 to -36.2)	-12.1 (-21.0 to -2.1)	13.9 (1.1 to 26.8)	-4.6 (-14.3 to 6.2)	-88.6 (-90.2 to -86.8)	-20.7 (-32.6 to 5.1)	-83.2 (-85.5 to -80.4)	-19.7 (-31.8 to -3.9)
Sierra Leone	-47.0 (-52.2 to -41.0)	-14.5 (-21.3 to -6.8)	20.3 (8.3 to 33.9)	-4.2 (-11.9 to 4.4)	-86.8 (-88.5 to -84.8)	-19.6 (-28.4 to -10.0)	-74.9 (-78.0 to -71.0)	-15.2 (-24.4 to -5.1)
Togo	-36.2 (-41.6 to -30.8)	-13.2 (-19.6 to -6.5)	38.0 (26.2 to 49.7)	-5.0 (-12.1 to 2.3)	-86.2 (-88.2 to -83.9)	-23.0 (-33.8 to -12.2)	-78.0 (-81.2 to -74.3)	-23.6 (-34.3 to -13.0)

Supplemental Table 3. Percentage change in HBV-related death rates and HBV-related death counts in all ages between 1990 and 2019 and 2015 and 2019, by location

Location name	Death rates, all ages		Death counts, all ages	
	1990 to 2019	2015 to 2019	1990 to 2019	2015 to 2019
Global	-26.8 (-34.7 to -17.6)	-1.4 (-9.9 to 6.6)	5.9 (-5.6 to 19.2)	2.9 (-5.9 to 11.3)
African Region	-37.2 (-48.8 to -23.4)	-7.8 (-16.5 to 2.1)	35.6 (10.5 to 65.4)	1.9 (-7.7 to 12.9)
Eastern Mediterranean Region	-34.7 (-49.5 to -18.7)	-0.6 (-12.3 to 12.0)	25.2 (-3.2 to 56.1)	7.2 (-5.4 to 20.8)
European Region	-6.0 (-12.6 to 1.0)	-3.5 (-8.9 to 2.2)	1.8 (-5.4 to 9.3)	-2.5 (-8.0 to 3.3)
Region of the Americas	-13.1 (-18.8 to -6.2)	2.8 (-2.1 to 8.0)	22.7 (14.6 to 32.3)	6.1 (1.1 to 11.5)
South-East Asia Region	-0.9 (-16.9 to 17.9)	-6.0 (-16.7 to 5.9)	52.7 (28.1 to 81.7)	-1.9 (-13.0 to 10.5)
Western Pacific Region	-37.5 (-48.8 to -22.8)	5.1 (-13.1 to 24.3)	-22.6 (-36.7 to -4.6)	7.5 (-11.2 to 27.1)
Low SDI	-34.0 (-44.6 to -22.3)	-8.0 (-14.7 to -0.7)	41.0 (18.4 to 66.2)	1.4 (-5.9 to 9.5)
Low-middle SDI	-14.9 (-25.4 to -1.2)	-6.0 (-14.2 to 3.2)	32.8 (16.5 to 54.3)	-1.3 (-9.9 to 8.4)
Middle SDI	-28.6 (-38.7 to -15.9)	1.1 (-11.0 to 13.9)	-0.4 (-14.4 to 17.4)	4.9 (-7.6 to 18.1)
High-middle SDI	-38.7 (-47.5 to -28.0)	3.1 (-9.3 to 16.5)	-23.8 (-34.7 to -10.5)	5.2 (-7.4 to 18.9)
High SDI	-9.5 (-16.5 to -2.2)	3.7 (-0.1 to 7.7)	11.5 (2.9 to 20.6)	6.1 (2.3 to 10.2)
Central Europe, eastern Europe, and central Asia	14.3 (4.4 to 25.6)	-3.7 (-10.8 to 3.8)	14.0 (4.2 to 25.3)	-3.2 (-10.3 to 4.4)
Central Asia	13.2 (-2.5 to 31.7)	-5.2 (-13.6 to 4.1)	52.9 (31.7 to 77.8)	-0.1 (-8.8 to 9.8)
Armenia	117.2 (74.5 to 169.0)	-4.1 (-19.6 to 12.3)	92.1 (54.3 to 137.9)	-5.2 (-20.5 to 11.0)
Azerbaijan	6.2 (-16.9 to 35.2)	-13.6 (-26.3 to 1.2)	48.9 (16.6 to 89.5)	-10.2 (-23.3 to 5.2)
Georgia	11.8 (-11.0 to 35.4)	0.9 (-15.9 to 18.7)	-25.6 (-40.8 to -9.9)	-2.6 (-18.8 to 14.7)
Kazakhstan	54.1 (26.0 to 91.2)	-7.6 (-20.6 to 6.4)	73.2 (41.5 to 114.8)	-2.4 (-16.1 to 12.4)
Kyrgyzstan	-15.1 (-30.7 to 4.4)	-5.9 (-18.1 to 8.2)	24.3 (1.4 to 52.9)	0.4 (-12.6 to 15.5)
Mongolia	21.7 (-10.5 to 63.0)	3.9 (-9.4 to 19.5)	91.5 (40.8 to 156.4)	11.9 (-2.4 to 28.7)
Tajikistan	-28.7 (-50.4 to -1.8)	0.5 (-17.9 to 22.1)	25.9 (-12.4 to 73.4)	9.6 (-10.5 to 33.1)
Turkmenistan	14.4 (-15.3 to 51.0)	-4.8 (-22.4 to 16.9)	56.9 (16.2 to 107.1)	-0.3 (-18.8 to 22.3)
Uzbekistan	2.1 (-19.0 to 30.5)	-6.3 (-22.3 to 11.5)	64.1 (30.2 to 109.7)	-0.5 (-17.4 to 18.5)

Central Europe	-28.1 (-38.1 to -18.0)	0.5 (-12.3 to 13.6)	-33.2 (-42.5 to -23.9)	-0.7 (-13.3 to 12.2)
Albania	-6.2 (-32.3 to 28.0)	9.9 (-12.1 to 36.4)	-22.9 (-44.3 to 5.2)	7.6 (-14.0 to 33.5)
Bosnia and Herzegovina	-3.7 (-28.1 to 24.8)	-0.4 (-20.7 to 25.5)	-30.0 (-47.7 to -9.3)	-6.0 (-25.2 to 18.3)
Bulgaria	-9.8 (-31.4 to 15.4)	3.6 (-18.6 to 30.5)	-28.0 (-45.2 to -7.8)	0.6 (-21.0 to 26.7)
Croatia	-50.4 (-62.8 to -35.8)	-3.5 (-23.8 to 21.5)	-57.0 (-67.8 to -44.3)	-4.9 (-24.9 to 19.7)
Czech Republic	-38.3 (-53.2 to -21.7)	-0.2 (-18.6 to 24.2)	-36.3 (-51.6 to -19.1)	0.4 (-18.1 to 24.9)
Hungary	-40.3 (-52.1 to -26.0)	-1.5 (-19.1 to 19.4)	-44.4 (-55.4 to -31.1)	-2.9 (-20.3 to 17.6)
Montenegro	10.8 (-14.8 to 42.9)	-24.3 (-37.9 to -9.5)	9.8 (-15.5 to 41.7)	-24.9 (-38.4 to -10.2)
North Macedonia	12.8 (-13.9 to 45.2)	-7.5 (-28.0 to 17.5)	20.5 (-8.0 to 55.1)	-7.0 (-27.5 to 18.2)
Poland	-31.4 (-44.9 to -16.0)	-0.0 (-17.7 to 20.3)	-30.9 (-44.5 to -15.4)	-0.1 (-17.8 to 20.2)
Romania	-8.1 (-26.1 to 13.3)	5.7 (-13.3 to 30.0)	-24.4 (-39.2 to -6.9)	2.5 (-15.9 to 26.1)
Serbia	-29.0 (-48.0 to -6.7)	-6.6 (-27.1 to 18.0)	-34.0 (-51.6 to -13.1)	-8.1 (-28.2 to 16.2)
Slovakia	-36.8 (-54.1 to -13.7)	-1.8 (-23.6 to 26.7)	-34.9 (-52.8 to -11.2)	-1.5 (-23.4 to 27.0)
Slovenia	-44.0 (-62.3 to -18.4)	3.0 (-20.1 to 36.0)	-41.0 (-60.4 to -14.2)	3.3 (-19.9 to 36.4)
Eastern Europe	74.3 (52.7 to 97.1)	-6.0 (-15.9 to 5.1)	61.6 (41.6 to 82.7)	-6.5 (-16.4 to 4.5)
Belarus	68.6 (26.7 to 121.1)	-4.8 (-27.1 to 22.9)	53.0 (15.0 to 100.6)	-5.5 (-27.6 to 22.0)
Estonia	35.1 (1.6 to 71.3)	-2.7 (-24.9 to 23.7)	13.0 (-15.0 to 43.3)	-2.9 (-25.1 to 23.5)
Latvia	6.6 (-14.5 to 33.3)	-2.6 (-19.9 to 19.8)	-23.2 (-38.4 to -4.0)	-6.1 (-22.9 to 15.5)
Lithuania	71.4 (37.3 to 115.0)	-12.2 (-29.2 to 7.9)	30.3 (4.4 to 63.5)	-15.8 (-32.1 to 3.5)
Moldova	-31.4 (-41.1 to -20.0)	-5.8 (-18.4 to 9.2)	-43.1 (-51.2 to -33.7)	-7.9 (-20.2 to 6.7)
Russia	71.4 (44.8 to 102.3)	-12.0 (-24.3 to 1.8)	66.5 (40.7 to 96.5)	-11.7 (-24.1 to 2.1)
Ukraine	131.4 (88.5 to 181.6)	8.5 (-9.2 to 30.4)	93.5 (57.6 to 135.5)	5.5 (-11.7 to 26.8)
High income	-9.6 (-17.1 to -1.1)	2.5 (-0.7 to 5.5)	7.8 (-1.1 to 17.9)	4.2 (1.0 to 7.3)
Australasia	13.3 (1.4 to 26.9)	-2.5 (-7.5 to 2.9)	62.3 (45.4 to 81.9)	2.4 (-2.8 to 8.0)
Australia	10.7 (-1.9 to 26.0)	-3.4 (-9.0 to 2.6)	61.3 (42.9 to 83.6)	1.9 (-3.9 to 8.2)
New Zealand	28.5 (17.0 to 40.8)	3.5 (-1.4 to 8.8)	69.1 (53.9 to 85.2)	5.8 (0.8 to 11.1)

High-income Asia Pacific	4.4 (-7.3 to 17.1)	8.1 (3.3 to 13.5)	12.6 (0.1 to 26.4)	8.3 (3.5 to 13.7)
Brunei	19.3 (-4.6 to 51.3)	8.3 (-3.0 to 20.2)	101.7 (61.3 to 155.9)	13.1 (1.3 to 25.5)
Japan	8.2 (-4.4 to 19.7)	8.7 (5.6 to 12.0)	9.8 (-2.9 to 21.5)	7.5 (4.4 to 10.7)
South Korea	-6.9 (-21.1 to 9.7)	5.3 (-2.5 to 14.1)	12.2 (-5.0 to 32.1)	8.6 (0.6 to 17.6)
Singapore	12.7 (0.2 to 26.0)	10.6 (3.2 to 18.2)	109.6 (86.5 to 134.3)	13.2 (5.7 to 21.0)
High-income North America	41.0 (27.7 to 55.8)	-4.3 (-10.6 to 1.7)	83.0 (65.7 to 102.2)	-2.0 (-8.5 to 4.2)
Canada	68.6 (49.0 to 90.4)	-4.3 (-10.6 to 2.5)	125.9 (99.6 to 155.1)	-1.1 (-7.6 to 5.9)
Greenland	80.5 (32.6 to 145.7)	1.8 (-10.7 to 16.0)	82.5 (34.1 to 148.4)	1.7 (-10.8 to 15.8)
USA	38.9 (25.2 to 53.7)	-4.3 (-11.1 to 2.3)	79.6 (61.9 to 98.8)	-2.1 (-9.0 to 4.7)
Southern Latin America	-30.8 (-37.2 to -23.5)	-1.1 (-6.3 to 4.0)	-6.8 (-15.4 to 3.1)	2.7 (-2.7 to 8.0)
Argentina	-27.1 (-34.5 to -19.3)	-2.5 (-8.9 to 3.6)	-0.7 (-10.8 to 9.9)	1.2 (-5.5 to 7.6)
Chile	-36.0 (-43.7 to -27.1)	0.7 (-5.4 to 6.9)	-12.3 (-22.9 to -0.1)	5.2 (-1.3 to 11.6)
Uruguay	-37.9 (-45.6 to -27.7)	2.4 (-4.2 to 9.3)	-32.0 (-40.5 to -20.8)	3.3 (-3.4 to 10.3)
Western Europe	-25.8 (-32.8 to -17.6)	-0.9 (-3.6 to 2.1)	-15.8 (-23.8 to -6.5)	0.3 (-2.4 to 3.4)
Andorra	4.8 (-30.5 to 54.4)	3.3 (-9.6 to 17.9)	60.9 (6.8 to 137.0)	10.3 (-3.6 to 25.8)
Austria	-46.7 (-53.5 to -37.6)	-6.4 (-12.5 to 1.0)	-38.9 (-46.7 to -28.4)	-3.6 (-9.9 to 4.0)
Belgium	-20.1 (-30.8 to -8.2)	-6.8 (-12.6 to -0.8)	-8.6 (-20.9 to 5.1)	-5.2 (-11.1 to 0.9)
Cyprus	-35.9 (-50.1 to -12.9)	1.8 (-7.9 to 12.4)	8.2 (-15.7 to 47.0)	8.5 (-1.9 to 19.7)
Denmark	22.8 (5.5 to 42.5)	-0.4 (-6.9 to 7.1)	38.5 (19.0 to 60.8)	1.9 (-4.8 to 9.5)
Finland	67.5 (45.8 to 91.6)	-4.0 (-11.2 to 3.5)	85.1 (61.1 to 111.6)	-3.3 (-10.5 to 4.2)
France	-24.8 (-35.1 to -10.9)	-7.5 (-14.1 to -0.1)	-13.8 (-25.6 to 2.1)	-6.3 (-12.9 to 1.2)
Germany	-35.7 (-45.0 to -24.3)	-1.4 (-7.6 to 4.9)	-31.7 (-41.6 to -19.6)	1.0 (-5.3 to 7.4)
Greece	15.7 (-3.0 to 38.7)	3.0 (-2.7 to 9.5)	15.1 (-3.5 to 38.0)	0.6 (-5.1 to 6.9)
Iceland	29.4 (11.3 to 50.7)	6.1 (-2.6 to 15.3)	75.7 (51.2 to 104.7)	10.9 (1.8 to 20.5)
Ireland	56.7 (36.4 to 80.1)	-21.4 (-26.9 to -15.3)	113.6 (85.9 to 145.6)	-19.8 (-25.4 to -13.6)
Israel	-30.8 (-39.9 to -18.9)	1.8 (-4.5 to 8.7)	29.8 (12.8 to 52.1)	9.7 (3.0 to 17.2)

Italy	-43.5 (-47.6 to -39.3)	5.1 (0.6 to 9.2)	-40.0 (-44.4 to -35.5)	4.3 (-0.2 to 8.4)
Luxembourg	-53.3 (-61.3 to -42.9)	-7.1 (-15.7 to 3.4)	-24.3 (-37.3 to -7.4)	2.0 (-7.5 to 13.6)
Malta	-13.4 (-29.1 to 5.7)	4.5 (-4.0 to 13.9)	2.6 (-16.0 to 25.3)	6.0 (-2.6 to 15.5)
Monaco	6.0 (-23.2 to 46.0)	-1.7 (-13.5 to 10.1)	30.8 (-5.1 to 80.2)	0.1 (-11.9 to 12.2)
Netherlands	27.5 (11.7 to 48.1)	3.9 (-2.0 to 10.4)	46.5 (28.4 to 70.3)	5.4 (-0.7 to 12.0)
Norway	-25.5 (-32.8 to -16.7)	-4.1 (-8.3 to 0.4)	-6.2 (-15.3 to 4.9)	-0.8 (-5.0 to 3.9)
Portugal	-44.7 (-54.7 to -30.3)	4.0 (-2.5 to 12.3)	-41.8 (-52.4 to -26.7)	3.1 (-3.3 to 11.3)
San Marino	-13.8 (-45.8 to 30.2)	7.0 (-10.1 to 26.2)	21.1 (-23.8 to 82.9)	9.5 (-8.0 to 29.2)
Spain	-45.6 (-54.6 to -33.9)	1.7 (-4.7 to 8.7)	-35.5 (-46.1 to -21.6)	0.1 (-6.2 to 7.0)
Sweden	7.8 (-1.0 to 16.6)	-2.0 (-7.4 to 3.4)	28.3 (17.9 to 38.7)	1.6 (-4.1 to 7.2)
Switzerland	28.3 (11.5 to 48.7)	-1.6 (-8.2 to 4.8)	63.9 (42.6 to 90.1)	2.5 (-4.4 to 9.1)
UK	110.1 (99.5 to 126.9)	1.5 (-0.7 to 3.6)	145.7 (133.4 to 165.4)	3.7 (1.5 to 5.9)
Latin America and Caribbean	-25.7 (-31.9 to -18.7)	6.4 (-0.4 to 13.9)	11.3 (2.0 to 21.6)	10.4 (3.3 to 18.1)
Andean Latin America	-23.4 (-41.1 to -1.0)	-1.3 (-16.9 to 16.3)	27.7 (-1.9 to 64.9)	5.3 (-11.3 to 24.1)
Bolivia	-17.3 (-41.1 to 21.0)	3.6 (-9.2 to 20.5)	54.8 (10.2 to 126.3)	11.4 (-2.4 to 29.6)
Ecuador	0.0 (-24.1 to 28.3)	2.0 (-21.4 to 32.9)	75.5 (33.2 to 125.1)	10.3 (-15.1 to 43.6)
Peru	-33.6 (-54.3 to -4.2)	-5.2 (-28.4 to 23.8)	3.8 (-28.4 to 49.8)	0.4 (-24.2 to 31.0)
Caribbean	-23.0 (-35.5 to -9.1)	8.2 (-3.6 to 23.3)	2.9 (-13.8 to 21.6)	11.5 (-0.7 to 27.0)
Antigua and Barbuda	-56.7 (-63.9 to -47.9)	10.1 (-2.1 to 23.0)	-36.9 (-47.5 to -24.1)	11.2 (-1.1 to 24.2)
The Bahamas	-40.4 (-52.4 to -23.8)	11.3 (-3.4 to 29.3)	-12.4 (-30.1 to 12.0)	13.8 (-1.2 to 32.2)
Barbados	-21.5 (-37.7 to -0.8)	13.5 (-1.7 to 30.3)	-8.0 (-27.0 to 16.3)	15.7 (0.2 to 32.9)
Belize	-16.6 (-31.9 to 2.3)	9.3 (-4.0 to 24.8)	84.0 (50.3 to 125.7)	19.5 (4.9 to 36.4)
Bermuda	-38.5 (-49.8 to -23.7)	7.4 (-3.3 to 19.7)	-33.8 (-45.9 to -17.8)	5.9 (-4.6 to 18.0)
Cuba	-28.1 (-43.3 to -8.6)	6.8 (-14.1 to 30.3)	-24.6 (-40.5 to -4.2)	5.9 (-14.8 to 29.3)
Dominica	-50.5 (-61.0 to -37.2)	-25.0 (-34.5 to -14.6)	-54.1 (-63.8 to -41.7)	-25.6 (-35.0 to -15.2)
Dominican Republic	3.8 (-29.4 to 46.3)	16.4 (-10.1 to 51.6)	56.8 (6.6 to 121.0)	21.8 (-5.9 to 58.7)

Grenada	-54.4 (-61.2 to -46.5)	7.9 (-3.6 to 19.5)	-45.0 (-53.3 to -35.5)	6.6 (-4.8 to 18.0)
Guyana	-34.3 (-52.5 to -12.2)	-1.2 (-20.2 to 20.8)	-34.2 (-52.5 to -12.1)	3.5 (-16.4 to 26.4)
Haiti	-26.3 (-47.6 to 3.4)	1.7 (-9.4 to 14.1)	43.8 (2.2 to 101.8)	10.4 (-1.6 to 23.9)
Jamaica	-27.9 (-45.1 to -7.3)	4.6 (-14.8 to 26.9)	-14.3 (-34.7 to 10.3)	5.4 (-14.1 to 27.9)
Puerto Rico	-44.4 (-58.1 to -27.2)	8.8 (-16.5 to 39.7)	-45.8 (-59.1 to -29.1)	3.4 (-20.7 to 32.7)
Saint Kitts and Nevis	-61.5 (-70.7 to -50.9)	29.4 (13.3 to 46.4)	-44.6 (-57.9 to -29.3)	34.1 (17.4 to 51.7)
Saint Lucia	-37.4 (-48.1 to -23.7)	13.5 (0.6 to 26.4)	-20.4 (-34.1 to -3.0)	14.7 (1.7 to 27.8)
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	-26.4 (-38.9 to -10.0)	8.1 (-3.5 to 21.5)	-24.3 (-37.2 to -7.5)	8.7 (-3.1 to 22.1)
Suriname	-43.6 (-55.3 to -29.5)	2.8 (-12.8 to 20.6)	-15.9 (-33.4 to 5.0)	5.0 (-10.9 to 23.2)
Trinidad and Tobago	-42.9 (-58.2 to -23.1)	5.5 (-22.7 to 43.7)	-34.2 (-51.8 to -11.3)	6.5 (-22.0 to 45.0)
Virgin Islands	-0.6 (-26.1 to 30.2)	4.1 (-6.6 to 15.2)	-2.5 (-27.5 to 27.7)	2.1 (-8.4 to 13.0)
Central Latin America	-3.9 (-17.6 to 10.9)	17.3 (2.9 to 33.2)	46.4 (25.5 to 68.9)	21.0 (6.2 to 37.4)
Colombia	4.8 (-21.4 to 38.7)	6.5 (-17.6 to 36.8)	53.9 (15.4 to 103.6)	10.9 (-14.2 to 42.5)
Costa Rica	12.0 (-15.8 to 45.9)	11.5 (-13.5 to 42.9)	73.8 (30.6 to 126.5)	14.8 (-11.0 to 47.2)
El Salvador	-28.3 (-47.2 to -4.5)	2.9 (-21.2 to 33.7)	-14.8 (-37.2 to 13.4)	4.9 (-19.7 to 36.3)
Guatemala	-39.8 (-54.3 to -20.4)	-10.0 (-30.2 to 15.2)	34.2 (2.0 to 77.6)	-2.1 (-24.1 to 25.2)
Honduras	7.3 (-18.7 to 46.6)	-0.1 (-13.4 to 16.1)	123.7 (69.5 to 205.7)	9.1 (-5.4 to 26.8)
Mexico	0.9 (-15.6 to 20.5)	25.5 (5.2 to 47.8)	47.5 (23.3 to 76.1)	30.1 (9.1 to 53.3)
Nicaragua	10.6 (-13.3 to 38.5)	3.4 (-16.4 to 26.4)	85.2 (45.3 to 131.9)	9.2 (-11.8 to 33.4)
Panama	-14.3 (-35.4 to 13.2)	0.5 (-22.8 to 30.6)	49.2 (12.5 to 97.2)	9.3 (-16.1 to 42.0)
Venezuela	-21.5 (-42.1 to 4.4)	30.9 (0.5 to 69.9)	17.0 (-13.7 to 55.6)	23.1 (-5.5 to 59.7)
Tropical Latin America	-35.2 (-39.3 to -30.5)	2.1 (-2.3 to 7.0)	-5.2 (-11.2 to 1.7)	5.8 (1.3 to 10.9)
Brazil	-35.5 (-39.6 to -30.7)	2.1 (-2.5 to 6.9)	-6.1 (-12.0 to 0.9)	5.7 (1.0 to 10.7)
Paraguay	-5.6 (-33.6 to 30.1)	5.7 (-21.5 to 36.8)	61.7 (13.8 to 122.9)	11.4 (-17.3 to 44.2)
North Africa and Middle East	-39.4 (-55.1 to -22.0)	-0.7 (-12.4 to 12.7)	6.9 (-20.7 to 37.5)	5.6 (-6.9 to 19.9)
Afghanistan	-67.9 (-80.1 to -51.3)	-13.3 (-24.1 to -2.2)	7.6 (-33.2 to 63.1)	-1.2 (-13.5 to 11.5)

Algeria	-35.9 (-54.1 to -10.6)	-0.9 (-14.0 to 14.2)	6.1 (-24.1 to 47.9)	5.4 (-8.6 to 21.4)
Bahrain	-27.2 (-45.3 to -3.7)	26.3 (9.3 to 45.9)	106.8 (55.3 to 173.3)	30.2 (12.6 to 50.4)
Egypt	-38.5 (-59.3 to -16.7)	-0.5 (-21.8 to 24.1)	9.3 (-27.6 to 48.1)	6.5 (-16.3 to 32.8)
Iran	-13.2 (-26.2 to 5.5)	4.9 (-0.9 to 11.7)	25.1 (6.2 to 51.9)	9.2 (3.1 to 16.2)
Iraq	-25.2 (-47.5 to 2.7)	-0.9 (-11.2 to 10.9)	79.1 (25.8 to 145.8)	7.1 (-4.1 to 19.8)
Jordan	-46.1 (-61.7 to -27.6)	13.2 (-2.8 to 30.4)	66.2 (18.1 to 123.3)	35.7 (16.5 to 56.3)
Kuwait	-18.9 (-33.8 to 1.2)	12.4 (-6.6 to 34.1)	104.1 (66.5 to 154.6)	30.8 (8.7 to 56.0)
Lebanon	-24.0 (-48.4 to 14.7)	-0.0 (-11.2 to 11.4)	20.1 (-18.4 to 81.3)	3.4 (-8.2 to 15.1)
Libya	-20.1 (-48.5 to 25.2)	14.5 (-1.7 to 30.5)	27.1 (-18.1 to 99.1)	18.4 (1.7 to 35.0)
Morocco	-28.3 (-50.8 to 2.8)	3.9 (-8.5 to 19.2)	1.9 (-30.1 to 46.2)	6.8 (-5.9 to 22.5)
Oman	-42.5 (-58.5 to -18.8)	-9.2 (-21.5 to 4.6)	35.5 (-2.1 to 91.5)	0.9 (-12.7 to 16.2)
Palestine	-43.6 (-59.8 to -21.7)	6.9 (-6.0 to 20.3)	35.1 (-3.9 to 87.4)	14.5 (0.7 to 28.8)
Qatar	-37.5 (-58.8 to -7.2)	10.7 (-7.9 to 31.4)	302.1 (165.3 to 497.2)	29.5 (7.7 to 53.7)
Saudi Arabia	-53.0 (-69.6 to -27.1)	6.3 (-6.5 to 20.5)	4.7 (-32.2 to 62.2)	17.0 (2.9 to 32.7)
Sudan	-65.8 (-82.9 to -33.9)	-11.0 (-21.3 to 2.0)	-30.8 (-65.6 to 33.6)	-2.8 (-14.1 to 11.4)
Syria	-2.9 (-34.7 to 45.7)	12.6 (-5.0 to 32.9)	9.1 (-26.6 to 63.8)	7.5 (-9.3 to 26.9)
Tunisia	-23.5 (-54.0 to 26.9)	2.6 (-13.3 to 23.7)	4.8 (-36.9 to 73.9)	5.4 (-10.9 to 27.1)
Turkey	-32.1 (-50.7 to -2.8)	-3.9 (-20.4 to 15.3)	-7.6 (-32.9 to 32.3)	-1.5 (-18.4 to 18.3)
United Arab Emirates	23.6 (-27.0 to 114.1)	35.2 (12.3 to 60.8)	510.0 (260.3 to 957.0)	38.0 (14.7 to 64.2)
Yemen	-60.2 (-79.5 to -23.9)	3.4 (-10.3 to 18.9)	-8.7 (-53.0 to 74.7)	12.9 (-2.1 to 29.8)
South Asia	-0.2 (-18.3 to 21.9)	-8.5 (-20.4 to 5.4)	64.1 (34.4 to 100.5)	-3.6 (-16.1 to 11.0)
Bangladesh	-48.0 (-61.9 to -29.4)	-3.2 (-17.6 to 11.1)	-24.0 (-44.4 to 3.1)	0.7 (-14.3 to 15.7)
Bhutan	-12.9 (-41.6 to 35.0)	7.5 (-5.5 to 21.2)	7.3 (-28.1 to 66.3)	6.3 (-6.6 to 19.8)
India	12.6 (-10.9 to 40.5)	-10.3 (-24.5 to 5.6)	83.1 (44.8 to 128.4)	-5.8 (-20.7 to 10.9)
Nepal	-42.6 (-60.5 to -22.1)	17.5 (0.1 to 37.0)	-10.7 (-38.5 to 21.2)	22.3 (4.2 to 42.5)
Pakistan	-15.5 (-37.6 to 22.9)	-0.3 (-20.4 to 26.1)	67.8 (23.9 to 144.0)	8.6 (-13.3 to 37.4)

Southeast Asia, east Asia, and Oceania	-35.6 (-46.3 to -22.3)	4.7 (-11.8 to 22.4)	-18.1 (-31.8 to -1.3)	7.3 (-9.6 to 25.5)
East Asia	-40.2 (-52.7 to -23.9)	5.0 (-16.5 to 28.5)	-28.1 (-43.2 to -8.5)	7.0 (-14.9 to 31.0)
China	-41.0 (-53.8 to -24.2)	4.9 (-17.3 to 29.5)	-29.1 (-44.5 to -8.9)	7.0 (-15.7 to 32.1)
North Korea	-11.7 (-37.0 to 20.5)	0.0 (-11.2 to 11.9)	10.0 (-21.5 to 50.1)	1.3 (-10.1 to 13.2)
Taiwan (province of China)	-14.9 (-34.5 to 10.6)	14.9 (-9.6 to 47.1)	-1.5 (-24.1 to 28.1)	15.4 (-9.2 to 47.8)
Oceania	-25.0 (-41.5 to -3.8)	-1.4 (-8.9 to 6.9)	53.9 (20.0 to 97.4)	8.4 (0.1 to 17.5)
American Samoa	55.0 (20.7 to 94.3)	6.8 (-3.5 to 16.9)	77.6 (38.3 to 122.7)	5.9 (-4.3 to 15.9)
Cook Islands	16.1 (-10.5 to 49.5)	7.8 (-4.7 to 21.1)	9.7 (-15.4 to 41.3)	7.6 (-4.9 to 20.8)
Fiji	13.6 (-19.2 to 58.9)	2.1 (-15.0 to 22.6)	36.3 (-3.0 to 90.7)	3.7 (-13.6 to 24.6)
Guam	67.0 (32.1 to 105.7)	4.0 (-7.7 to 17.1)	108.3 (64.8 to 156.6)	5.9 (-6.1 to 19.2)
Kiribati	-38.1 (-59.6 to -11.0)	-2.5 (-11.3 to 6.9)	-0.9 (-35.2 to 42.5)	2.5 (-6.7 to 12.4)
Marshall Islands	1.9 (-29.3 to 35.9)	1.4 (-11.0 to 15.0)	26.7 (-12.2 to 69.0)	3.2 (-9.3 to 17.1)
Federated States of Micronesia	-4.5 (-40.4 to 39.1)	8.3 (-9.4 to 23.4)	-6.5 (-41.6 to 36.2)	7.0 (-10.5 to 21.9)
Nauru	-30.4 (-50.9 to -6.6)	-5.6 (-16.6 to 8.2)	-28.4 (-49.5 to -3.9)	-4.3 (-15.5 to 9.8)
Niue	-16.6 (-39.1 to 10.8)	1.0 (-7.6 to 10.9)	-40.1 (-56.2 to -20.4)	2.6 (-6.2 to 12.6)
Northern Mariana Islands	70.5 (26.3 to 134.1)	13.9 (2.9 to 27.3)	59.6 (18.2 to 119.1)	4.4 (-5.6 to 16.8)
Palau	36.1 (-3.2 to 87.2)	15.0 (0.2 to 30.9)	59.1 (13.2 to 118.9)	15.6 (0.8 to 31.6)
Papua New Guinea	-24.8 (-48.1 to 8.6)	0.9 (-9.8 to 13.8)	81.6 (25.2 to 162.0)	13.2 (1.1 to 27.6)
Samoa	-8.8 (-33.9 to 28.1)	-1.5 (-12.0 to 9.9)	17.8 (-14.6 to 65.4)	4.9 (-6.3 to 17.1)
Solomon Islands	-25.8 (-49.4 to 5.1)	-4.9 (-15.1 to 6.0)	42.9 (-2.5 to 102.4)	2.2 (-8.8 to 13.9)
Tokelau	-11.7 (-37.1 to 19.0)	0.6 (-9.6 to 11.5)	-26.2 (-47.4 to -0.5)	7.6 (-3.3 to 19.1)
Tonga	-8.4 (-32.3 to 24.2)	1.7 (-8.6 to 12.5)	-3.1 (-28.4 to 31.4)	-0.2 (-10.3 to 10.4)
Tuvalu	-29.9 (-48.6 to -2.7)	-2.0 (-12.8 to 11.5)	-11.5 (-35.2 to 22.8)	2.2 (-9.1 to 16.2)
Vanuatu	-17.8 (-46.3 to 25.8)	-2.4 (-13.5 to 10.3)	59.9 (4.5 to 144.7)	5.2 (-6.7 to 18.9)
Southeast Asia	-10.5 (-22.8 to 5.1)	4.4 (-6.3 to 16.7)	29.2 (11.4 to 51.7)	8.0 (-3.0 to 20.8)
Cambodia	-18.2 (-37.6 to 8.6)	0.2 (-10.8 to 12.1)	30.9 (-0.1 to 73.8)	6.3 (-5.4 to 19.0)

Indonesia	-11.7 (-30.5 to 12.9)	5.4 (-13.6 to 28.0)	23.5 (-2.8 to 58.1)	8.4 (-11.1 to 31.8)
Laos	-42.8 (-61.8 to -13.2)	-5.2 (-16.2 to 7.7)	-1.4 (-34.2 to 49.6)	-0.0 (-11.6 to 13.6)
Malaysia	33.9 (2.9 to 72.6)	7.4 (-12.1 to 30.9)	137.4 (82.5 to 205.9)	12.4 (-8.1 to 37.0)
Maldives	-43.8 (-60.2 to -16.0)	8.2 (-6.6 to 24.8)	26.1 (-10.5 to 88.6)	24.4 (7.3 to 43.3)
Mauritius	-38.5 (-52.0 to -23.5)	4.4 (-15.9 to 29.8)	-28.7 (-44.3 to -11.2)	4.5 (-15.8 to 29.9)
Myanmar	-18.4 (-43.9 to 18.1)	-2.5 (-13.6 to 10.5)	8.6 (-25.3 to 57.1)	0.8 (-10.7 to 14.2)
Philippines	-31.1 (-49.5 to -3.2)	-0.4 (-22.4 to 25.8)	22.0 (-10.5 to 71.5)	6.2 (-17.2 to 34.1)
Seychelles	-12.6 (-29.0 to 9.0)	12.7 (-0.3 to 27.2)	22.2 (-0.7 to 52.5)	16.9 (3.4 to 31.9)
Sri Lanka	-35.1 (-53.3 to -12.2)	-1.2 (-27.2 to 33.0)	-17.6 (-40.7 to 11.4)	1.3 (-25.4 to 36.3)
Thailand	53.8 (8.1 to 107.8)	9.5 (-19.8 to 44.7)	89.6 (33.3 to 156.2)	10.7 (-18.9 to 46.2)
Timor-Leste	-12.9 (-45.3 to 22.8)	-17.9 (-29.4 to -2.8)	48.5 (-6.8 to 109.3)	-11.0 (-23.5 to 5.3)
Vietnam	-28.0 (-52.4 to 6.3)	8.7 (-3.7 to 21.6)	2.1 (-32.5 to 50.8)	11.9 (-0.9 to 25.1)
Sub-Saharan Africa	-37.4 (-48.7 to -23.9)	-8.0 (-16.6 to 1.9)	37.6 (12.7 to 67.1)	1.9 (-7.6 to 12.9)
Central sub-Saharan Africa	-43.8 (-60.7 to -23.5)	-18.5 (-27.6 to -8.8)	33.1 (-6.9 to 81.2)	-9.0 (-19.2 to 1.8)
Angola	-48.8 (-67.0 to -21.4)	-15.7 (-27.0 to -3.4)	49.5 (-3.6 to 129.7)	-3.5 (-16.4 to 10.6)
Central African Republic	-37.1 (-59.4 to -11.3)	-16.3 (-27.3 to -3.9)	21.5 (-21.5 to 71.3)	-8.6 (-20.5 to 4.9)
Congo (Brazzaville)	-39.7 (-60.2 to -10.9)	-18.3 (-29.7 to -5.3)	29.9 (-14.2 to 92.0)	-10.6 (-23.1 to 3.6)
DR Congo	-42.9 (-62.1 to -19.6)	-20.1 (-31.0 to -8.2)	29.7 (-13.8 to 82.7)	-11.3 (-23.4 to 1.9)
Equatorial Guinea	-62.7 (-77.3 to -39.9)	5.3 (-11.1 to 24.4)	23.2 (-25.3 to 98.4)	19.2 (0.6 to 40.8)
Gabon	-40.3 (-61.8 to -14.6)	-9.9 (-21.7 to 2.8)	5.3 (-32.6 to 50.7)	-3.8 (-16.4 to 9.7)
Eastern sub-Saharan Africa	-34.8 (-47.7 to -17.2)	-5.5 (-12.5 to 1.6)	41.2 (13.2 to 79.2)	4.6 (-3.1 to 12.5)
Burundi	-53.7 (-70.0 to -28.9)	-11.8 (-22.2 to -0.1)	-0.9 (-35.8 to 52.2)	2.3 (-9.8 to 15.8)
Comoros	-9.2 (-38.8 to 84.8)	-3.0 (-22.4 to 11.0)	39.2 (-6.2 to 183.5)	1.7 (-18.7 to 16.4)
Djibouti	6.4 (-31.8 to 64.8)	-17.7 (-31.4 to -2.5)	163.3 (68.8 to 307.9)	-8.3 (-23.6 to 8.6)
Eritrea	-23.9 (-47.4 to 13.5)	1.8 (-11.2 to 16.9)	70.1 (17.7 to 153.7)	10.8 (-3.3 to 27.2)
Ethiopia	-32.7 (-57.4 to 24.2)	-9.4 (-24.2 to 5.6)	40.9 (-10.8 to 160.1)	-0.2 (-16.4 to 16.4)

Kenya	-9.8 (-29.7 to 21.0)	0.7 (-16.4 to 20.8)	95.3 (52.3 to 162.1)	10.0 (-8.7 to 32.0)
Madagascar	-48.5 (-64.9 to -27.7)	0.5 (-12.9 to 16.0)	15.1 (-21.5 to 61.4)	11.0 (-3.8 to 28.1)
Malawi	-56.6 (-69.4 to -39.9)	-1.8 (-14.1 to 10.5)	-16.2 (-41.0 to 16.0)	9.6 (-4.2 to 23.3)
Mozambique	-46.5 (-68.7 to -8.9)	-6.8 (-19.4 to 7.0)	20.8 (-29.3 to 105.9)	4.1 (-9.8 to 19.6)
Rwanda	-54.6 (-68.8 to -32.4)	-1.0 (-12.7 to 12.4)	-19.6 (-44.9 to 19.5)	8.4 (-4.4 to 23.1)
Somalia	-21.7 (-44.2 to 11.6)	-6.0 (-18.7 to 7.4)	122.7 (58.7 to 217.7)	9.0 (-5.8 to 24.5)
South Sudan	-4.5 (-34.3 to 40.0)	1.8 (-11.3 to 18.1)	51.3 (4.0 to 121.8)	3.0 (-10.3 to 19.4)
Uganda	-38.5 (-57.0 to -12.8)	-2.0 (-14.4 to 11.3)	46.1 (2.1 to 107.1)	8.6 (-5.1 to 23.3)
Tanzania	-46.4 (-61.7 to -26.9)	-5.1 (-16.8 to 8.2)	17.3 (-16.2 to 60.0)	5.4 (-7.6 to 20.2)
Zambia	-39.4 (-58.4 to -14.2)	-12.7 (-25.1 to -0.1)	39.2 (-4.6 to 97.0)	-1.2 (-15.2 to 13.0)
Southern sub-Saharan Africa	-25.4 (-45.1 to 2.0)	-3.9 (-10.3 to 2.0)	11.6 (-17.8 to 52.7)	0.5 (-6.1 to 6.7)
Botswana	-36.3 (-62.0 to 8.1)	2.9 (-12.8 to 20.7)	14.5 (-31.7 to 94.2)	9.9 (-6.9 to 28.9)
eSwatini	35.4 (-48.1 to 157.4)	-3.3 (-16.5 to 12.9)	91.7 (-26.5 to 264.4)	-0.4 (-13.9 to 16.4)
Lesotho	3.9 (-53.3 to 115.0)	-4.2 (-17.0 to 11.2)	20.3 (-46.0 to 148.9)	-1.4 (-14.5 to 14.5)
Namibia	-32.5 (-54.0 to -0.3)	-27.5 (-38.3 to -15.5)	15.1 (-21.6 to 70.0)	-23.2 (-34.7 to -10.5)
South Africa	-26.7 (-46.1 to -2.4)	-2.4 (-10.3 to 5.8)	10.6 (-18.7 to 47.4)	1.5 (-6.7 to 10.0)
Zimbabwe	-26.1 (-54.5 to 13.8)	-5.7 (-17.5 to 6.1)	7.3 (-33.9 to 65.2)	0.5 (-12.0 to 13.1)
Western sub-Saharan Africa	-41.1 (-54.4 to -23.7)	-7.9 (-21.1 to 6.9)	39.4 (8.1 to 80.8)	3.0 (-11.7 to 19.5)
Benin	-47.0 (-62.8 to -25.3)	-9.8 (-20.1 to 1.6)	38.4 (-2.9 to 95.1)	2.7 (-9.1 to 15.6)
Burkina Faso	-54.6 (-72.5 to -33.3)	-15.8 (-26.0 to -4.5)	7.8 (-34.8 to 58.3)	-4.2 (-15.8 to 8.6)
Cape Verde	24.0 (-18.3 to 75.0)	10.7 (-1.9 to 23.8)	98.8 (31.0 to 180.5)	15.3 (2.1 to 28.9)
Cameroon	-46.6 (-69.2 to -13.0)	-6.5 (-19.8 to 7.9)	49.4 (-13.8 to 143.6)	4.9 (-10.0 to 21.1)
Chad	-31.3 (-49.7 to -6.0)	-10.3 (-21.7 to 1.3)	87.2 (37.1 to 155.9)	4.0 (-9.3 to 17.5)
Côte d'Ivoire	-31.6 (-53.6 to -4.0)	-5.7 (-18.3 to 8.4)	46.4 (-0.7 to 105.4)	2.6 (-11.1 to 17.9)
The Gambia	4.9 (-31.8 to 60.9)	11.4 (-4.9 to 32.1)	137.5 (54.4 to 264.3)	22.9 (4.9 to 45.7)
Ghana	-36.5 (-56.9 to -8.0)	-2.4 (-14.0 to 10.7)	33.3 (-9.5 to 93.1)	7.1 (-5.6 to 21.5)

Guinea	-29.0 (-49.4 to -1.5)	-15.1 (-25.0 to -3.7)	45.2 (3.4 to 101.3)	-5.6 (-16.6 to 7.0)
Guinea-Bissau	-34.4 (-53.5 to -4.2)	-14.8 (-26.0 to -3.1)	23.8 (-12.3 to 80.9)	-7.2 (-19.4 to 5.6)
Liberia	-50.5 (-65.9 to -31.0)	-11.7 (-24.9 to 2.6)	20.8 (-16.9 to 68.3)	-4.9 (-19.2 to 10.4)
Mali	-53.6 (-69.8 to -33.5)	-0.5 (-11.0 to 12.7)	17.2 (-23.7 to 68.2)	15.1 (3.0 to 30.4)
Mauritania	-52.4 (-66.9 to -35.4)	-7.9 (-27.1 to 7.2)	-7.6 (-35.6 to 25.6)	-0.4 (-21.2 to 15.9)
Niger	-37.8 (-55.4 to -13.7)	-12.3 (-24.2 to 0.4)	80.6 (29.4 to 150.6)	2.4 (-11.5 to 17.2)
Nigeria	-41.2 (-58.9 to -15.7)	-7.9 (-32.1 to 24.9)	40.0 (-2.0 to 100.7)	2.7 (-24.3 to 39.3)
São Tomé and Príncipe	-41.4 (-65.2 to -6.9)	0.1 (-10.7 to 12.4)	-0.9 (-41.2 to 57.3)	6.9 (-4.6 to 20.0)
Senegal	-30.3 (-51.7 to -3.5)	-1.9 (-19.9 to 12.3)	38.4 (-4.1 to 91.6)	6.5 (-13.1 to 21.8)
Sierra Leone	-55.3 (-72.0 to -32.1)	-12.0 (-24.0 to 2.3)	1.5 (-36.5 to 54.0)	-1.5 (-14.9 to 14.6)
Togo	-25.2 (-50.6 to 12.3)	-9.6 (-20.9 to 2.9)	61.7 (6.8 to 142.8)	-1.1 (-13.5 to 12.6)

Supplemental Table 4. Achievement in 2019 of WHO-GHSS 2020 death impact target, WHO-GHSS new cases impact target, and under-5 prevalence proxy target, with high probability, by location. High probability is defined by at least 950 out of 1000 draws meeting target.

WHO region	WHO-GHSS 2020 death impact target	WHO-GHSS 2020 new cases impact target	Under-5 prevalence proxy target
African Region	Namibia	Equatorial Guinea, Mozambique, Lesotho, Ghana, Liberia	Algeria, Equatorial Guinea, Burundi, Comoros, Eritrea, Kenya, Mauritius, Rwanda, Seychelles, Tanzania, Lesotho, Namibia, Cape Verde, The Gambia, Ghana
Eastern Mediterranean Region	-	Iraq, Syria	Bahrain, Egypt, Iran, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libya, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Pakistan
European Region	Montenegro, Ireland	Ukraine, Sweden, Switzerland, UK	Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan, Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Hungary, North Macedonia, Montenegro, Poland, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Belarus, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Russia, Ukraine, Andorra, Austria, Belgium, Cyprus, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, UK, Turkey, Monaco, San Marino
Region of the Americas	Dominica	Panama	Argentina, Chile, Uruguay, Canada, USA, Antigua and Barbuda, The Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Cuba, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Grenada, Guyana, Haiti, Jamaica, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago, Bolivia, Ecuador, Peru, Colombia, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Venezuela, Brazil, Paraguay, Saint Kitts and Nevis
South-East Asia Region	-	Indonesia	North Korea, Indonesia, Maldives, Myanmar, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Nepal
Western Pacific Region	-	Philippines, Japan	Bahrain, Egypt, Iran, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libya, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Pakistan

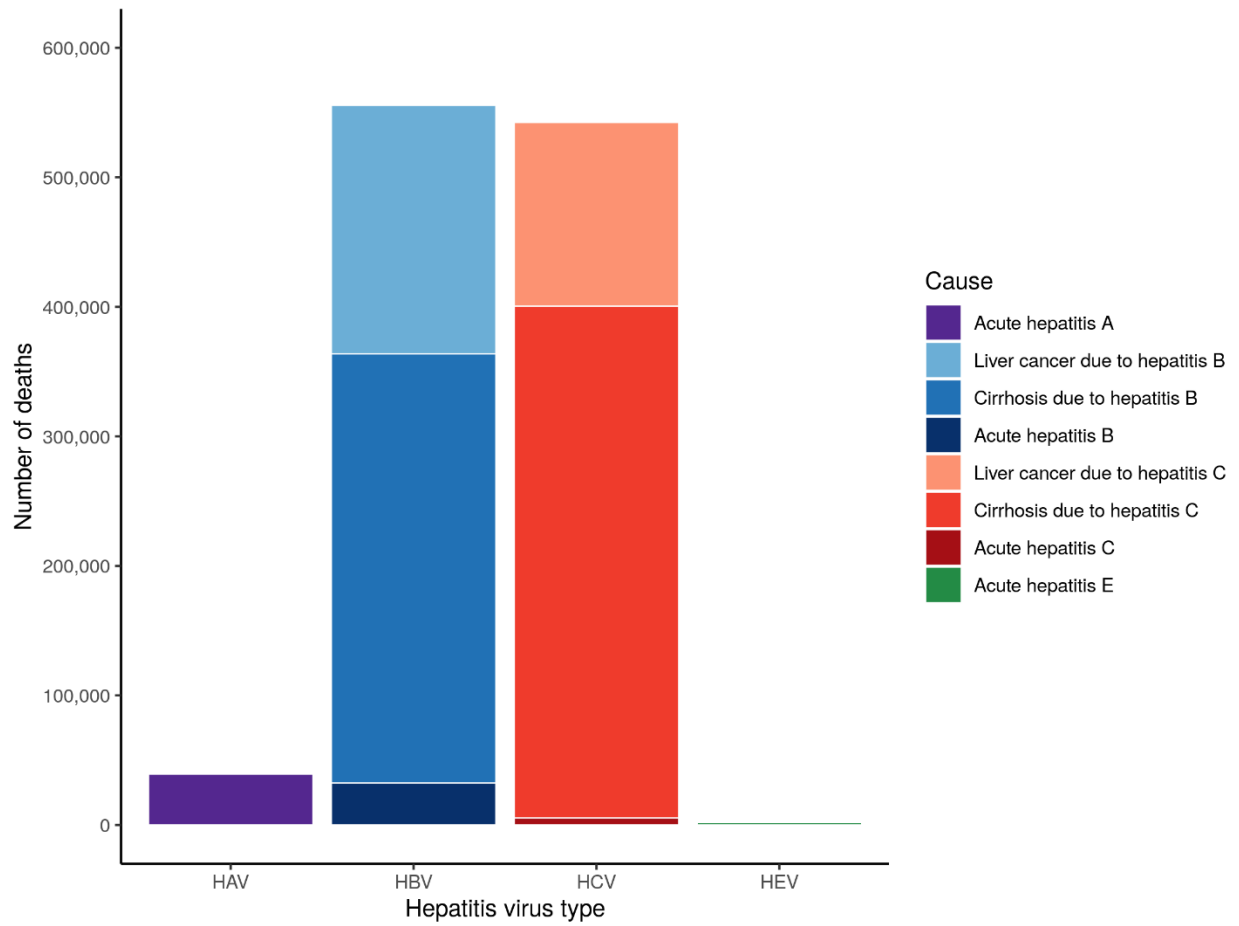
Supplementary Table 5. Achievement in 2019 of WHO Interim Guidance’s absolute mortality rate target and WHO-GHSS under-5 prevalence target for 2030, with high probability, by location. High probability is defined by at least 950 out of 1000 draws.

WHO region	All age mortality of less than or equal to 4 per 100,000	Under 5 prevalence of less than or equal to 0.1%
Western Pacific Region	Papua New Guinea, Australia, New Zealand	Australia, New Zealand
South-East Asia Region	Maldives	Sri Lanka
European Region	Austria, Belgium, Cyprus, Denmark, France, Germany, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, UK, San Marino	Albania, Czech Republic, North Macedonia, Poland, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Belarus, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Russia, Andorra, Austria, Belgium, Cyprus, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, UK, Monaco
Region of the Americas	Argentina, Uruguay, Canada, USA, Antigua and Barbuda, The Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Cuba, Dominica, Grenada, Jamaica, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago, Ecuador, Peru, Colombia, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Venezuela, Brazil, Paraguay, Saint Kitts and Nevis	Argentina, Chile, Uruguay, USA, Antigua and Barbuda, The Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Cuba, Dominica, Grenada, Guyana, Jamaica, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago, Bolivia, Ecuador, Peru, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Mexico, Nicaragua, Saint Kitts and Nevis
African Region	Algeria, Mozambique, Rwanda, Tanzania, Uganda	-
Eastern Mediterranean Region	Bahrain, Iran, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Tunisia	Kuwait

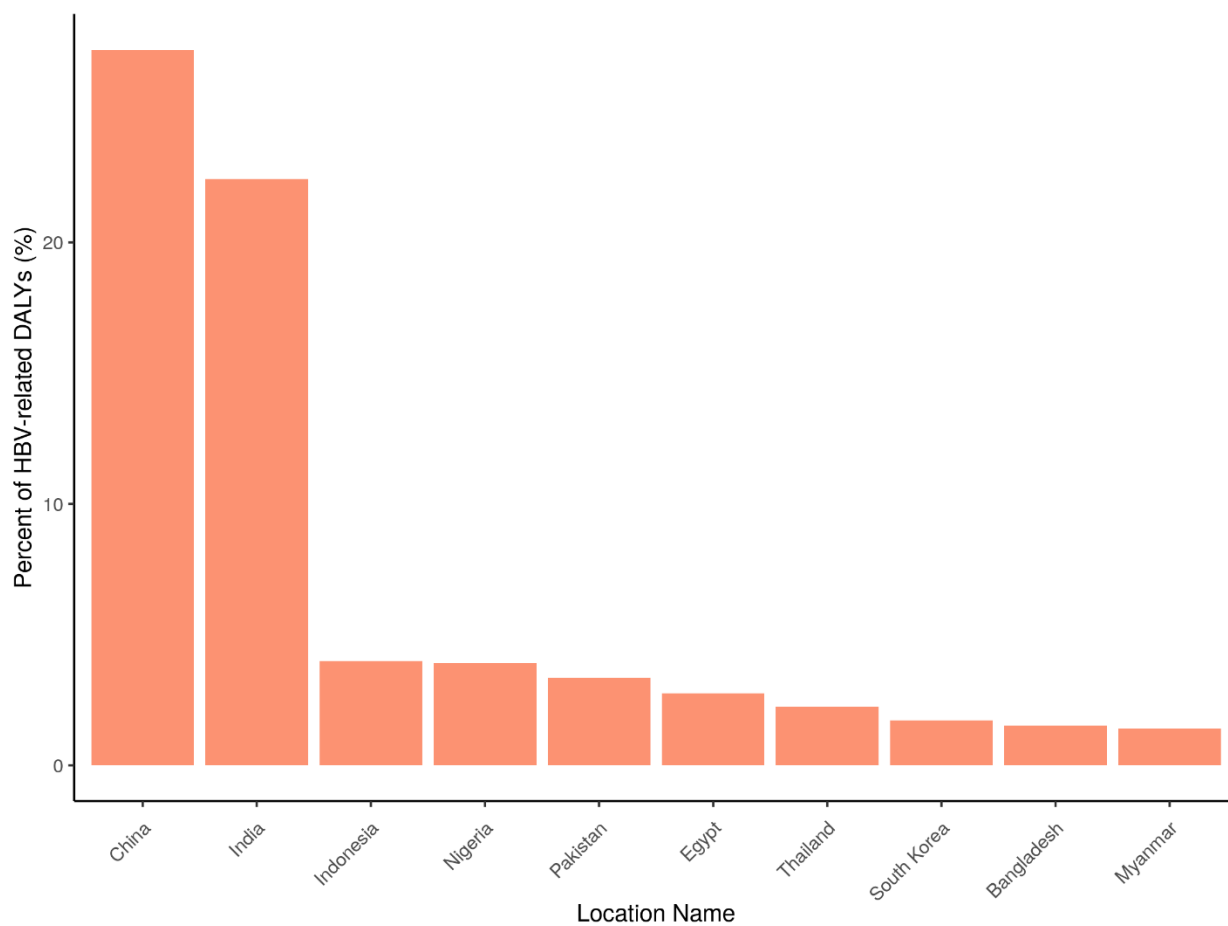
Supplementary Table 6. Prevalence of HBsAg, all ages, both sexes, as reported by GBD and multiple other estimation groups

Location Name	% (95% uncertainty interval or confidence interval, as reported by original authors)				
	IHME, 2019	Schweitzer, ~1965-2013	WHO, 2016	WHO, 2019	CDA, 2016
Global	4.09 (3.66–4.53)	3.61 (3.61 to 3.61)	3.5 (2.7 to 5.0%)	-	3.9 (3.4 to 4.6)
African Region	6.49 (5.76–7.30)	8.83 (8.82 - 8.83)	6.1 (4.6 to 8.5)	7.5 (5.7-10.5)	7.2 (6.2 to 8.2)
Eastern Mediterranean Region	3.07 (2.80–3.36)	3.01 (3.01 to 3.01)	3.3 (2.6 to 4.3)	2.5 (2.0-3.3)	2.2 (1.9 to 3.0)
European Region	1.15 (1.05–1.24)	2.06 (2.06 to 2.06)	1.6 (1.2 to 2.6)	1.5 (1.1-2.4)	1.6 (1.1 to 2.1)
Region of the Americas	1.22 (1.07–1.37)	0.81 (0.81 - 0.81)	0.7 (0.4 to 1.6)	0.5 (0.3-1.2)	0.4 (0.3 to 0.6)
South-East Asia Region	3.06 (2.71–3.41)	1.90 (1.90 - 1.90)	2.0 (1.5 to 4.0)	3.0 (2.3-6.0)	3.5 (2.9 to 4.0)
Western Pacific Region	7.04 (6.30–7.82)	5.26 (5.26 - 5.26)	6.2 (5.1 to 7.6)	5.9 (4.9-7.3)	5.7 (5.1 to 6.6)

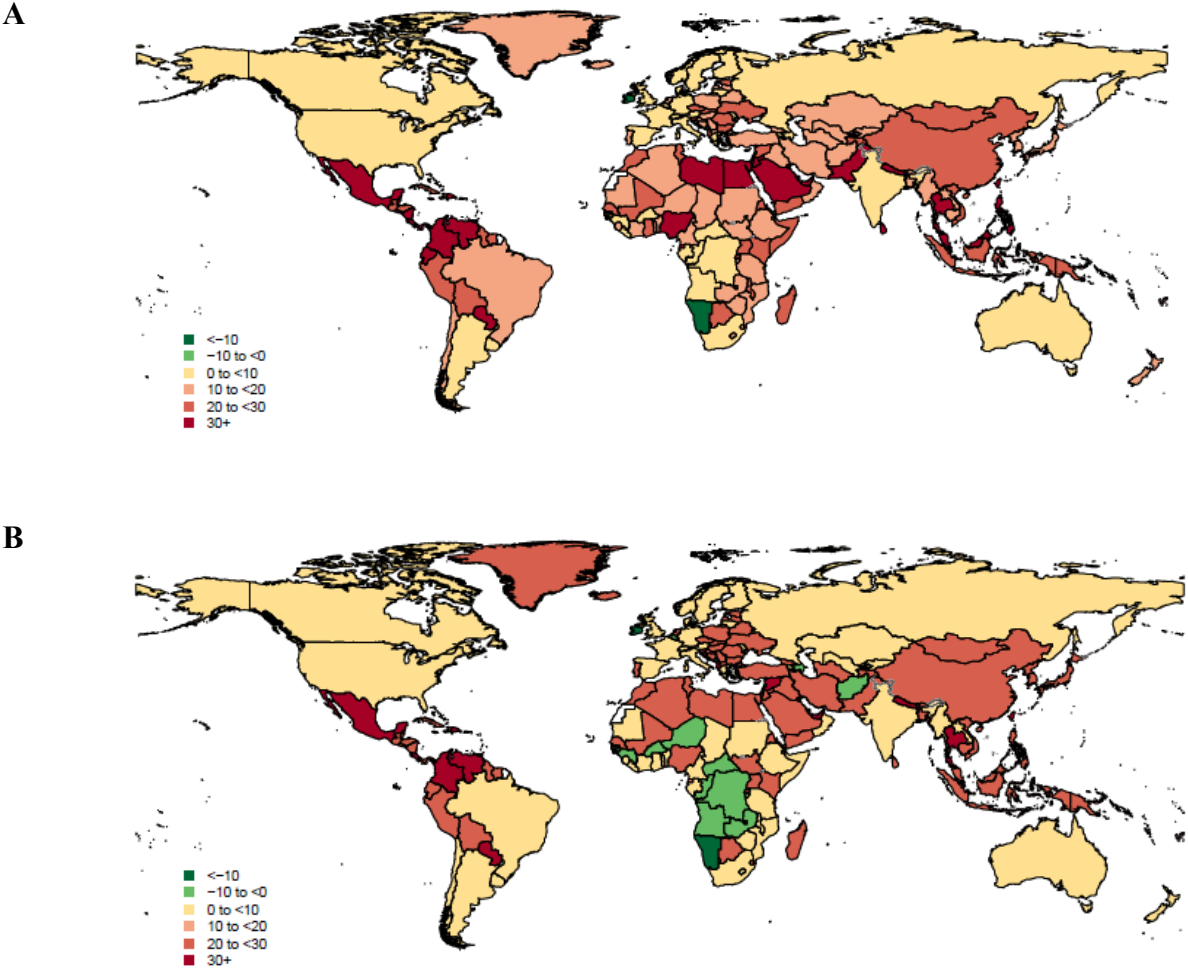
Supplemental Figure 4. Hepatitis-related deaths by virus and cause, global, 2019



Supplemental Figure 5. Percentage of HBV-related disability-adjusted life-years (DALYs) in top burden countries (out of total HBV-related DALYs)

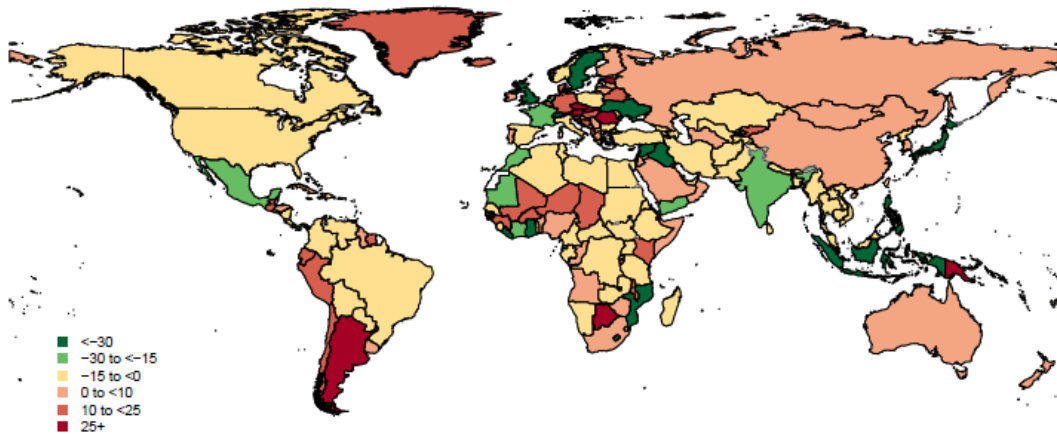


Supplemental Figure 6. Map of percentage change in all-age HBV-related death counts (A) and all-age HBV death rates (B) between 2015 and 2019 by country. Percentage change category was achieved with high probability (at least 950 out of 1000 draws of percentage change).

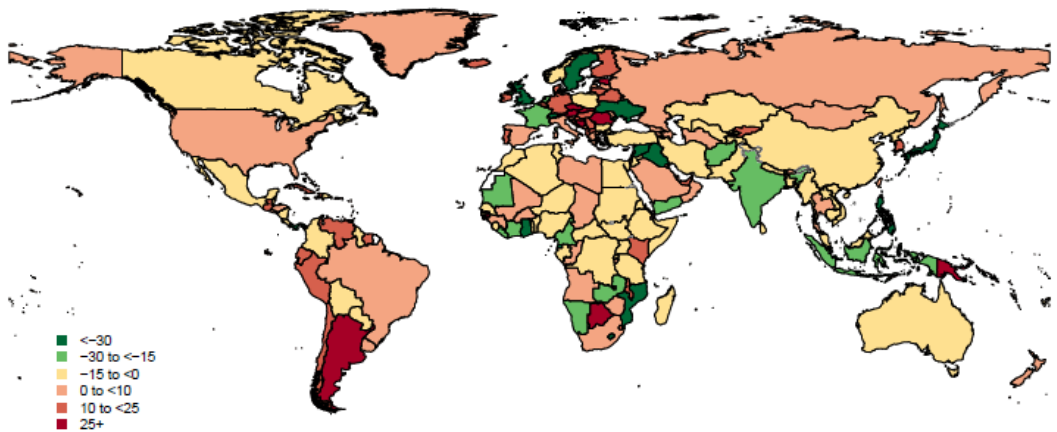


Supplemental Figure 4. Map of percentage change in under-5 HBsAg prevalence counts (A) and under-5 HBsAg seroprevalence (%) (B) between 2015 and 2019, by country. Percentage change category was achieved with high probability (at least 950 out of 1000 draws of percentage change).

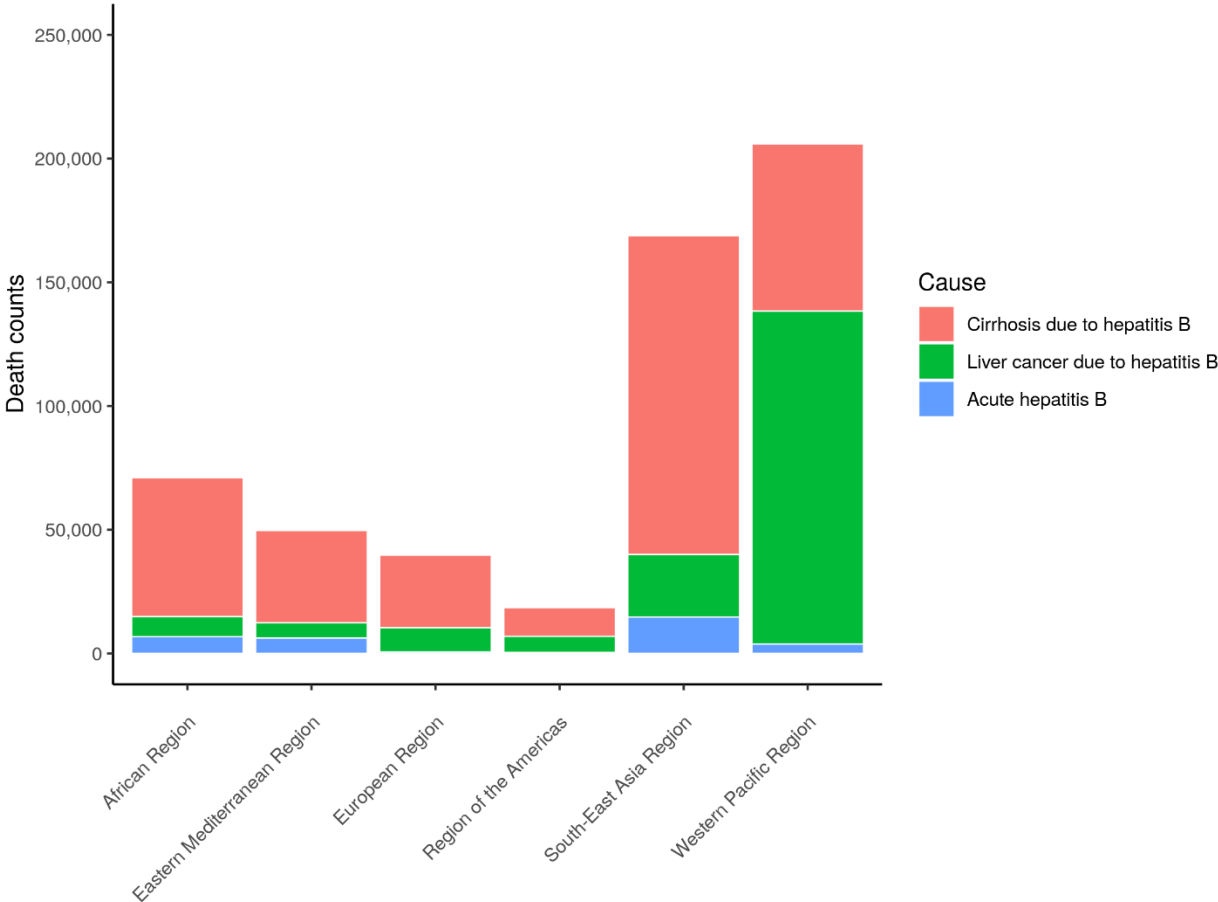
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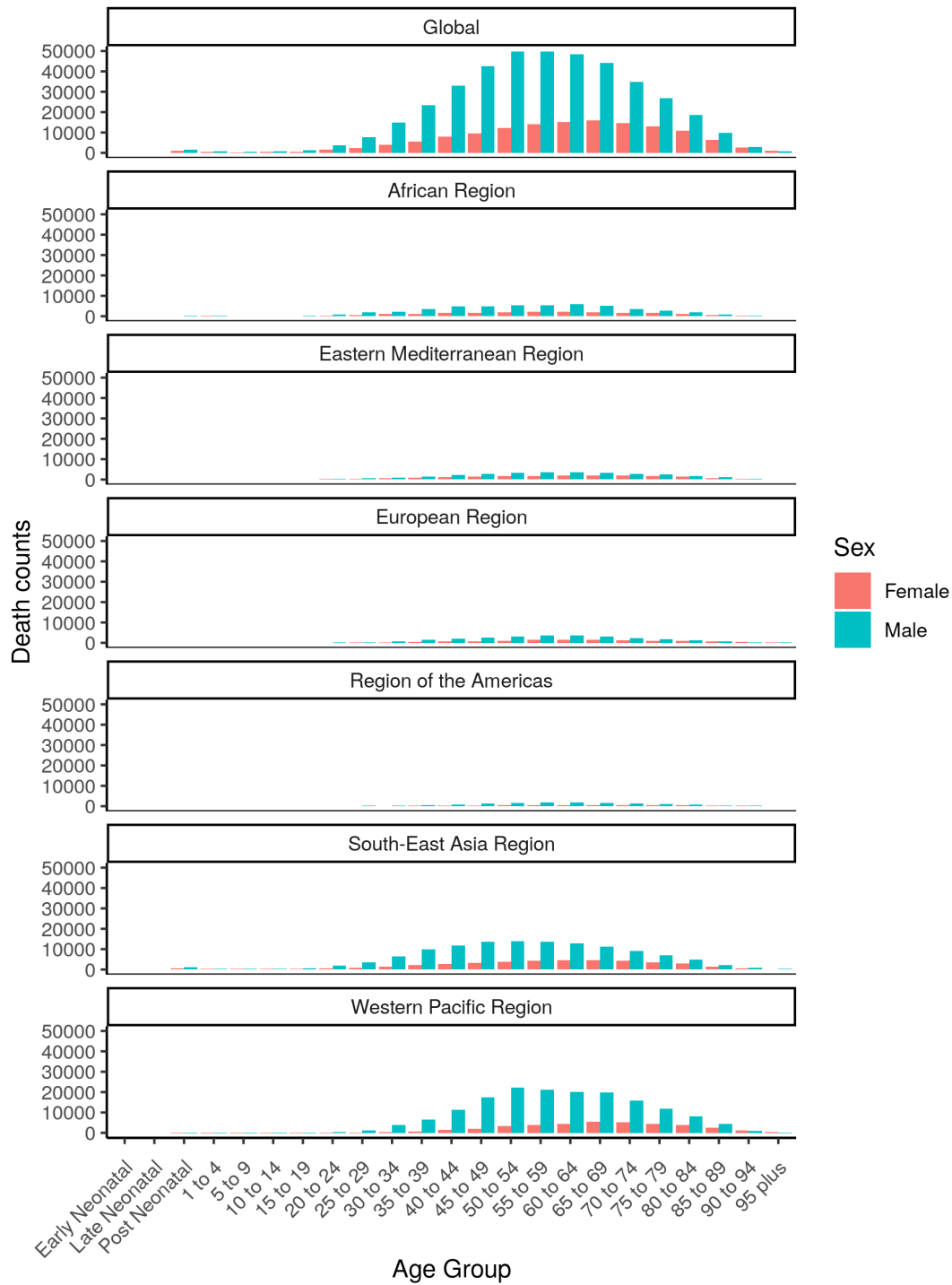
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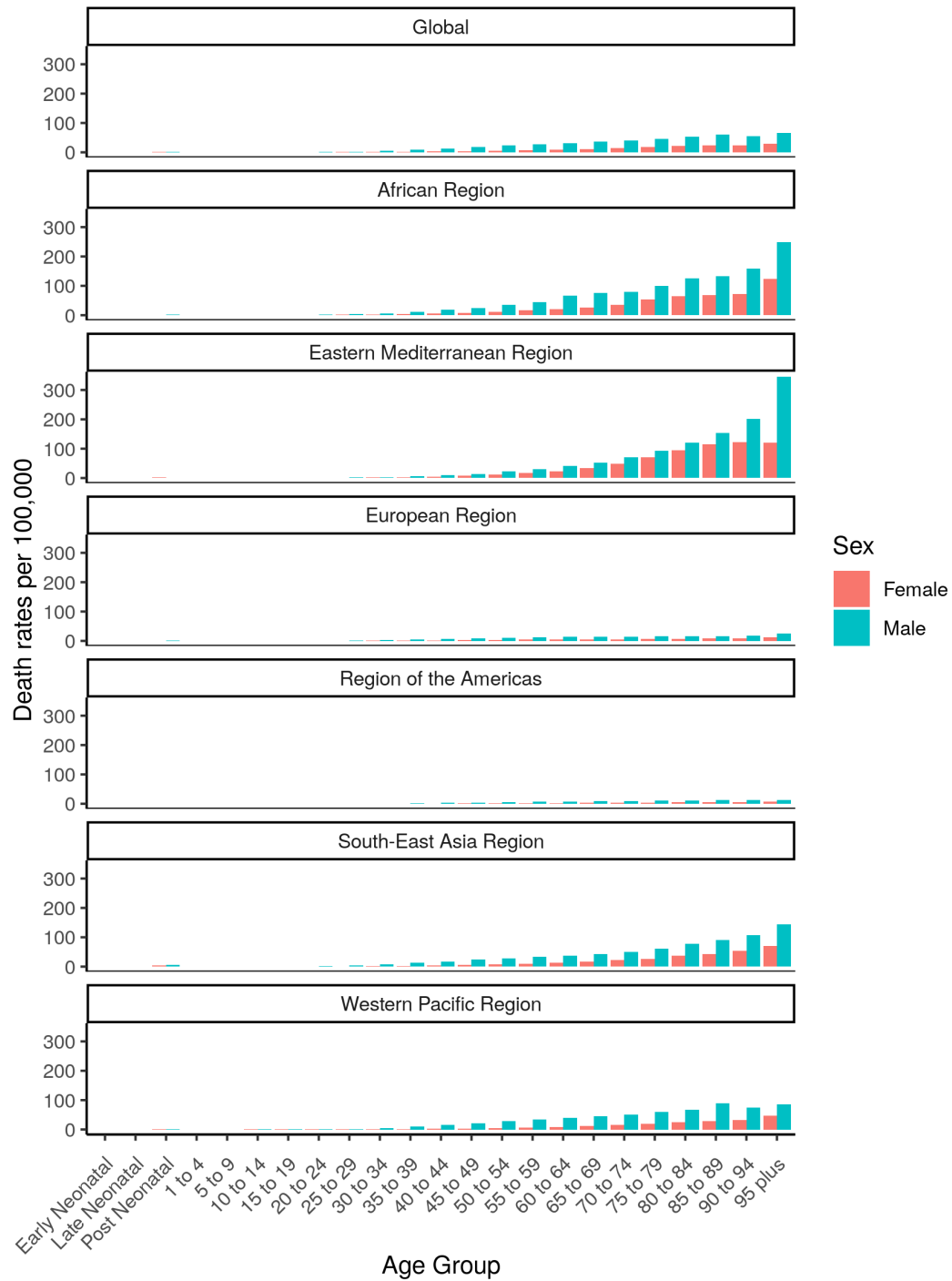
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Supplemental Figure 6. Age-sex-specific death counts of HBV-related diseases in 2019, globally and by WHO region



Supplemental Figure 7. Age-sex-specific death rates per 100,000 of HBV-related diseases in 2019, globally and by WHO region



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